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AN ETHICAL BREACH.

Parls, Oct. 9. ' The sensation created by the killed instantaneously. arrest and expulsion from France of the well-known American earst Press of an official French document relating to the Anglo-French naval compromise, alleged to have been stolen, is as yet un-

abated. Wild rumours regarding the manner in which the document was obtained are in circulation, but French diplomatic circles emphasise that Horan was not accused of stealing the document from the archives of the Foreign Office, but only with publishing a State document without the consent of the Government.

Breach of Ethics.

It is pointed out that such an action was a serious breach professional ethics towards the

French authorities. Enquiries on the subject at the Quai D'Orsay to-day revealed that there has been no official American demarche in regard to the case of Horan, Mr. Armour, the United States Charge D'Affaires called at the Quai D'Orsay yesterday somi-officially to enquire into the truth of the reports that Mr. Horan hald been arrested and

imprisoned. The French Foreign Office officials replied that the reports of the manner in which Mr. Horan was treated by the Police are quite untrue.

Unseemly Act.

The French position was also carefully explained, the Quai D'Orsay pointing out to Mr. in the world. the French Government in know- foreigners. ingly making use of its private property.

information in the New York American since its appearance a week or so the Universal News Service in Paris, a Hearst agency, upon which Mr. Horan, the head of the office, was summoned to the Qua D'Orsay. where he admitted receiving the document from Mr. Hearst him-

Mr. Hearst Hurrledly Leaves.

Mr. Hearst was then in Paris. but on learning that the French authorities were taking a serious view of the affair, he hurried to Washington in order to seek the assistance of Mr. Frank Kellogg, the American Secretary of State. Mr. Hearst declared that he assumcident and asked the intervention of the American Ambassador in Paris.

Two or three days later, Mr. Foreign Office. He gathered the impression during this interview that some arrangement might be possible, but when arriving at the door of his office in a car yesterday, he was held up by a posse of police and conveyed to the police station for a long interrogation.

Eventually, he was given the option of being tried for possession of the stelen document, and of remaining in prison in the meantime. or of leaving France by Thursday. He chose the latter course.

Mr. Hearst Calls it Fuss.

New York, Oct. 9. Mr. Hearst, interviewed, said he saw no reason why the French Government should make such a fuss unless the agreement contained something whereof they were ashamed. He added; "If the French machinations and secret diplomacy involve the world in another great war, as they are likely to do, she need not again count on the United States to rescue her from disaster."-Reuter's Ameri- sterilisation of persons dangerous Kan Service.

YORK SOCIETY TRAGEDY.

RECENTLY WIDOWED LADY'S SUIÇIDE.

POIGNANT NOTE LEFT.

New York, Oct. 9. A poignant tragedy occurred at fashionable hotel in the heart of the city to-day when Mrs. Arthur Edward Stilwell committed suicide by jumping into the street from a twelfth-storey window. She was

that she could not live without her husband, who died a forinight ago. journalist, Mr. Horace Horan, as They were married in 1879, and a sequel to the publication in the would have celebrated their golden wedding next year.

Here husband, a prominent American railway constructor. claimed the possession of considerable physic powers. Many years ago he built a railway from Kansas City to the Gulf of Mexico, making Port Arthur, a town which he specially designed and built, the terminus instead of Galveston. which appeared to be the much more natural place,

"acting upon the advice of the other world, and his trust was confirmed for, within a year, Galveston was almost wiped out by tidal wave.

sident of the Kansas Railway opportunity was taken to inculcate when only 32 years of age.— Reuter's American Service.

SHANGHAI'S HUGE POPULATION.

SIXTH LARGEST CITY OF THE WORLD.

47,000 FOREIGNERS.

Shanghai, Oct. 10. Chinese authorities claims that corations. Promptly at nine Shanghai is the sixth largest city

Armour that Horan had committed The total population is given as Oheung Man-cheu. After prayer an unfriendly and unseemly act to 2,726,0000, of which 47,760 are and music by the band, the two

According to the returns, the The French Government, it population of the French Conces- address of the day speaking has been endeavour- sion is 358,000, the International classical Chinese, followed with source Settlement 855,000 and Greater such colloquial as the youngest publish-Shanghai 1,513,000.—Reuter.

It was apparently traced to give only four cities with larger Chinese Republic is the happiest populations than that now claimed one we have celebrated because for Shanghai, namely London, during the sixteen years previous New York, Berlin and Paris, with there have been many difficulties Chicago some 16,000 less than the and struggles. In order to acquire

London New York Berlin Paris	6,103,884 4,000,000
Paris Chicago	8,000,000

HAMBURG-AMERICA LINE.

ed full responsibility for the in-RAPIDLY REGAINING ITS OLD POSITION.

Berlin, Oct. 9. Horan was again summoned to the which before the War was the youth are the pillars of the nation. largest shipping concern in the to regain its old position.

A new building programme, pro- and elevate society. viding for the construction of 20 "Although I am old, I have ocean ships and 18 motor ships, ambition still, and I except the has been practically completed, young men of to-day to utilise making the Company's total net their education and knowledge to tonnage over 1,000,000 tons, com- help the country to be prosperous pared with only 4,200 tons in 1918, and powerful. In the years to when the Company's ships were come, this celebration will be surrendered to the Allies .- Reuter, an endless occasion, with in-

DANES & HEREDITARY TRAITS.

DRAFT BILL LEGALISING STERILISATION.

Copenhagen, Oct. 9. The Danish Government has laid on the table a Bill legalising the worthy of the occasion. to public safety.-Reuter.

DUAL FESTIVAL CELEBRATED.

NUMEROUS HONGKONG GATHERINGS.

COMMUNISM DENOUNCED AT CONFUCIAN MEETING.

HOPES FOR CHINA.

kong as is in evidence to-day, The victim left a note saying due to the celebration of the Republican National Holiday which, falling on the 10th day of the 10th month (Gregorian Calendar) is aptly called the Double Tenth, going hand in hand with that marking the anniveranry of the birth of the great Chinese Sage, Confucius.

The red flag with the white sun on a blue sky-the emblem of the Kuomintang—for the first time entirely superseded the fivebarred flag, and with the British red ensign, made a vivid display of colour in the main streets.

In keeping with the precedent of previous years, most of the He said that he took this step Chinese schools and colleges, as well as Chinese hongs and shops, have been enjoying a holiday to mark the even. Concerts and other functions were held last night and to-day in most of the Chinese Mr. Arthur Stilwell was the pre- scholastic institutions at which the ideas of the Sage into the minds of the young, together with timely talks regarding the nature of the Republican celebrations. A feature of the Confucian Society's celebration was a spirited denunciation of Communism as being contrary to the teachings of the Sage.

Y.M.C.A. Observances.

The Chinese Y.M.C.A. observed the day with a full programme. From nine to ten in the moring the student celebration took place. Twelve schools were represented.

The playground adjoining the Boys' Building was prepared with A census just completed by the two fing poles, and suitable deo'clock, Mr. K. L. Chau, M.A., the President, took the platform with Sir Shouson Chow and the Rev. flags were raised together and given a cheer.

Then Sir Shouson Chow gave the student could grasp. His address was, in part, as follows:-"The The latest books of reference seventeenth anniversary of the Shanghai total. The figures are: the happiness of peace and prosperity we have to make sacrifices. At present the North and the South have been united, and we are getting rid of our misunderstandings. Now with a true spirit of patriotism we can devote our energies to righteousness and justice. With such a foundation and such efforts we can expect peace and prosperity in the country.

Youth Needed.

"We must alsow depend upon talent. We require well-educated people to run the country. We must choose this talent from The Hamburg-America Line, among the youth of to-day. Our world, with a total net tonnage of opportunities, therefore you must 1,360,000 tons, is steadily striving study hard, and learn self-control.
to regain its old position. When your education is completed, you can help the country

creasing significance, year after year. . We must give three cheers this celebration."

100,000 Firecrackers.

the Republic, the flax, and the trade, speaker, the field was cleared for

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CORRUPTION TRIAL HANKOW'S RECENT CONCLUDED.

DON DISTRICT "FINANCIERS" SENT TO JAIL.

BRIBE ORGANISATION.

Riga, Oct. 9. Arrested over four months ago in the course of an intensive Police campaign following reports of official corruption, the trial has just concluded of 180 managers. Seldom has there been such a inspectors and other officials of show of Chinese flags in Hong- the Don District Finance Depart-

They were indicted on charge of systematically receiving bribes and incorrectly recording traders' profits, as the result of which the Government revenue was seriously live and a half hours on September

The accused men included M. Oriadoff, the Assistant Director Finance Department. of the

TERRIBLE MASSACRES IN KANSU.

Moslem Fanatics in Orgy of Murder.

ABOUT 200,000 KILLED!

New York, Oct. 9. A shocking story of massacre and terrible atrocities is expected to come to light from Kansu Province, China, in the next few days.

According to information received at the New York headquarters of the China Famine Relief Organisation, Moslem fanatics have run amok in different parts of the province.

It is reported that about 200,000 persons have been massacred .- Reuter's American Service.

Others were additionally charged with abusing their authority by the organisation of assaults upon

The state of the s

Of the 130 officials who stood for trial, 121 were convicted and terms varying from ten years to three months, with loss of political rights and confiscation of pro-

Nine of the accused were acquitted.—Reuter.

AMERICAN AVIATION ACCIDENTS.

ALARMING FIGURES SHOWN IN OFFICIAL REPORT.

Washington, Oct. 9. 390 aeroplanes crashed in the matting and straw. United States.

sons were injured.

You have such qualifications and presents an increase of 190 accidents compared with the whole of 1927 .- Reuter.

AUSTRALIA COASTAL TRADE.

TO BE OPEN TO BRITISH SHIPPING.

London, Oct. 9.

clauses of the Australian Naviga- sky for miles around. tion Act.

This will permit British ships to Following the rousing cheers for longage in the Australian coastal ... And amidst it all came the usual

a safe distance to make room for that tariff protection would be the consuming flames. Those who the 100,000 firecrackers that had afforded to vessels complying with had been fortunate enough to sense been donated to create a din the Australian wages and living the impending danger from the on- Italian heavy, Roberto Roberti on with coloured electric lights. Wireless.

DISASTER.

FIRE CAUSES MUCH DEVASTATION,

NATIVE CITY.

PANIC EVERYWHERE

Hankow papers to hand give swept through a large area of congested native dwellings with a 25th. With the wind behind it the fire spread with alarming rapidity, leaping from one section of fiwellings to another leaving nothing but charred and blackened ruin in its wake and for a time defying all efforts to prevent its devastating onrush to the business

section of the city. Panic, reigned everywhere. Shricking, women and frenzied men rushed blindly in all directions. Children screamed and were trampled underfoot as the terrifled residents dashed modly to safety before the increasing conflagration.

Raging Inferno.

The presence of soldiers summoned for the prevention of looting added to the pandemonium as they struggled to force back the encroaching orowids of spectators. Huge iron electric light standards wilted and crumbled under the

terrific heat. Brick building infter brick building crumbled and crashed into the raging inferno as it devoured section after section of the district. From midnight until dawn the fire raged unchecked, leaving in its path a waste of ruin, desolation and destruction

pitiful to behold. Impossible Task.

The first brigades had an imnossible task by the time they reached the scene of the outbreak. Fanned into a fury comparable only to a prairie or bush fire, the finmes devoured the highly combustible material provided for sentenced to imprisonment for them in the tiny straw and mat huts crowded together in thousands in that district. What little fire-fighting appliances were avai able to the native fire brigade and what little pressure of water could be obtained from the mains in that district were absolutely powerless against the force and strength of the outbreak. It consumed what it willed and raged unchecked for upwards of five hours.

Origin of Outbreak.

The fire had its origin in a tiny volution, and criticizing straw but in the vicinity of Chang- Japanese policy, urging the adop- arranged, and in the evening tengtse and was caused by the tion of a new policy, under which over-turning of a lamp during a co-operation for the mutual pros-A toll of the air in the United mah jongg game. The whole of perity of the two peoples must be States entirely unprecedented is the block bounded by Changtens- the keynote.—Router. revealed by an official report tse. Chi Sen San Maloo and Chi issued by the Department of Sen Sze Maloo consists of nothing Commerce, which states that more than a collection of hunduring the first six months of 1928, dreds of small huts constructed of

With such ready material and The loss of life entailed by backed up by a stiff breeze the these mishaps is given as 153, outbreak soon assumed serious while two or three hundred per- proportions and in a short time was completely out of hand. The The casualty list disclosed re- wind, blowing in a north-easterly - direction, carried the flames, and embers with terrific speed to the neighbouring block of buildings als to-day in the fourth match of and soon had a strangle-hold in that quarter.

A third block of huts and brick heat was terrific and completely prevented any attempt on the part reasonable range.

burned under the force of the In the course of a speech at blaze and suddenly the whole of Sydney, Mr. Bruce, the Australian the district was without light save for the Chinese Republic and Prime Minister, announced the that which came from the trementhank the Y.M.C.A, for arranging intention of repeating the coastal dous glare of the fire which lit the

Pandemonium Reigns.

wailing screaming and general din Mr. Bruce further intimated from those who had lost their all in (Continued on Page 4)

PRAGUE BUILDING DISASTER.

UNCOMPLETED PREMISES COLLAPSE ON WORKERS.

60 BURIED IN DEBRIS

Prayue, Oct. 9. . A terrible disaster occurred in the heart of the city this morning when a building in the course of construction collapsed without warning, the majority of the workmen being buried alive. Hundreds of people were quickly

on the scene, assisting in the work graphic details of the fire which of rescue, but it is feared that sixty lives have been lost. The structure was one of five storey, and the greater mart of leaders of the reorganised Naferocity that defied the combined the exterior work had already efforts of the local fire brigades for been completed. When the collapse occurred 87 men were work-

ing inside the premises, according o'clock this morning. to the contractors. Twenty-seven of the employees | place at the Central Kuomintang managed to scramble from the Headquarters in Nanking with ruins practically unaided, but their impressive ceremonial, at which fellows were buried deep in the Messrs. Wu Tee-hui, Li Shih-tseng debris. The most remarkable fea- land Chang Ching-king officiated. ture of the mishap was that the

pack of cards. it will be some time before the new Yuan following in their order rescue-workers are able to reach of precedence. the men who were working in the lower storeys at the time of the collapse. Sixteen bodies have

been extricated so far. The building was of reinforced concrete, and the builliers attri- leaders. bute the destruction to inferior cement which failed to set in the guaranteed time.—Reuter.

COMMUNISM RIFE IN JAPAN.

TRADE UNIONISTS TARRED WITH THE BRUSH.

ATTACK LEGISLATION.

Osaka, Oct. 9. Federation of Trade Unions.

known Japanese Labourite, Chang Hsuch-linng, the young demanding the abrogation of the views of those stressing the

and Order, under which hundreds the country prevailed. of Communists were rounded up last Spring, (on the discovery of extensive Bolshevik plots). Speakers strongly condemned the present policy of the Japanese Government, particularly in refer- took part this morning in a mass ence to their attitude to China; meeting on the Public Athletic After several outspoken speeches Ground, held in commemoration had been made, a resolution was of the Nationalist troops who died passed congratulating China on in the cause. the progress of the national re-

NEW YORK YANKEES WIN CHAMPIONSHIP.

ST. LOUIS DEFEATED FOUR TIMES SUCCESSIVELY.

New York, Oct. 9. By defeating the St. Louis Cardin-Yankees have won the champion-

Winners of the American League, dwellings was soon alight and burning with the same flerce in-tensity as the other areas. The defeated the Cardinals by 4-1 in the defeated the Cardinals by 4-1 in the first game, and by 9-8 in the second. They won the third comof the brigades to get within fortably, and completed the triumph of four successive wins over the Electric lamp poles crashed and National League winners day.—Reuter's American Service.

UZCUDUN TO MEET ROBERTO ROBORTI.

New York, Oct. 9. conditions regulations,—British rushing flames managed to gather Wednesday, Oct. 17th, at Ebbets

CHINA'S LEADERS TAKE OATH.

HISTORIC REPUBLICAN CEREMONY.

ON BIRTHDAY OF CHINA'S REVOLUTION.

CHIANG AS PRESIDENT

On the anniversary of the Renublic of China, the most appropriate day of the year, the ew tional Government took the oath of office, at Nanking at eight

The historic ceremony took

The first to take the oath was whole building collapsed like a Marshal Chlang. Kai-shek. the President of the National Govern-The dobris was piled high, and ment, the Chairman of the five

> afterwards held at the aerodrome. Marshal Chlang Khai-shek personally inspecting the forces in he presence of all the Nationalist

A grand review of troops was

Chiang's Official Title.

Announcing the arrangements in a message received earlier, Reuter says that Marshal Chiang Kai-shek, who will be officially intituled the "President of the Nationalist Government', of the Republic of China," and the Chairman of the five Yuans, Gen. Tan Yen-kai, Mr. Hu Han-min Dr. Wang Chug-hul, Mr. Teal Yuan-pei and Mr. Tai Chi-tao, will formally take their oath of

office this morning.

Opposition to Chang Hauch-liang. It is understood that the Nearly three hundred represent members of the new State Council tatives of the various Trade at present in Nanking will also Unions in Japan were present at take their oath. Reuter learns the annual opening to-day of the that there was considerable annual meeting of the Japanese opposition at yesterday's meeting of the Central Executive Com-Mr. Bunji Suzuki, the well-mittee to the election of General Manchurian leader, as a State The meeting passed a resolution | Councillor, but eventually the Law for the Maintenance of Peace | necessity for the unification sof

Shanghai Celebrations.

Shanghai, Oct. 9.

Over, 50,000 Shanghai Chinese

To-morrow, the Double Tenth, the a big review of troops has been lantern processions will be held.

Hankow Arrangements.

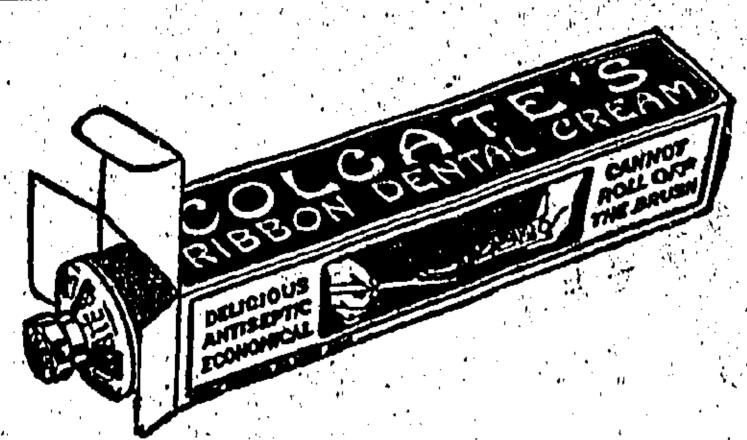
Hankow, Oct, 9. The Anniversary celebrations began this evening with lantern processions simultaneously in all the Wuhan cities, all public bodies participating in the parades.

To-morrow morning, the date of the birth of the Chinese Republic, fitting ceremonies will be held and will be continued throughout the day winding up at night with another lantern procession. It is also proposed to hold a display of lanterns on the river at night. During the afternoon of the same day military maneeuvres will be held by the troops of the 4th Group Army and the Chinese authorities will be at Home to the foreign Consular officials and

Aeroplane Display.

Another, feature of the day's celebrations will be an aeroplane exhibition during which pamphlete will be distributed over the Wuhan citles explaining the purpose of the celebrations and giving the history of the Republic. All shops, residents, river vessels and dwellings will be expected to fly national flags and other bunting during the three days' celebrations. Many arches of a decorative nature are to be erected in The heavyweight fighter Paolino the busy sections of the city and Uzcudun, the Basque, is fighting the at night these will be illuminated

The celebrations will be Field, Brooklyn.—Reuter's Ameri- | carried out in all three cities simultaneously.



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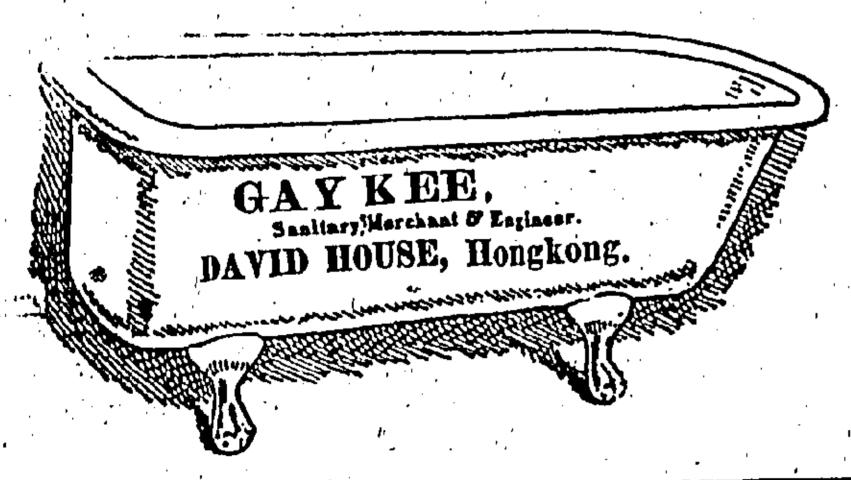
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CORONER'S INQUIRY.

MOTOR CYCLIST EXONNERAT ED FROM BLAME.

Chinese girl, aged eight.

de B. Botelho, and died shortly ward Roads. This was the only lot after admission to hospital.

ernment Civil Hospital, stated that on September 25 a Chinese girl was taken to the hospital at up of New Kowloon Inland Lot No. 8.05 p.m., She had a wound over -1167, situated in Ki Lung Street at the left eyebrow from which grey matter was protruding. The girl square feet at an annual Crown was unconscious and died at 9.20 p.m. the same day.

the doctor found that the skull was fractured over the left eyebrow. and the brain was decerated. The stomach was found to be ruptur-

from the witness box, stated that down to Mr. Mok Kwa-cheuk of he was an articled clerk to Mr. 167 Laichlkok Road without opposi-Leo D'Almada e Castro, solicitor. tion. On September 25 he was riding his cycle along Queen's Road East in a westerly direction and was travelling at about fifteen miles per hour. When near the Grand Theatre, a Chinese girl ran out from the left side of the road. Witness at once de-clutched and applied the brakes, at the same time sounding the horn. The little girl turned round to look at witness and then, instead of continuing on her way across the road she turned round and ran back towards the side walk from which she had lesued.

Bucket Entangled.

but a bucket which she was carry- at the minimum, with one of \$150. ing at the end of a pole, across The tenth bid wiped out the old that the girl was also thrown.

getting up and running into the favour of Sir Robert Ho Tung and verandah, where a Chinese woman the Lee Wah Company at \$49,700, held her up. Witness asked the with 85 bids from the opening. girl to go to the police station, but the woman suggested that there was no need to do that, if the cyclist was willing to may some compensation.

bars. He also saw a girl run into cost, on completion. the vernandah, as described by There were no bidders above the Mr. Botelho. Witness informed the Coroner that the speed of the motor cycle must have been very slow at the time of the accident.

Mother's Evidence.

The mother of the girl said that she and her daughter were about to cross the rond, to fetch water from a street fountain. Her daughter (the deceased) stepped out of the side channel and was knocked down by a motor cycle which did not sound its horn. Witness said that she did not wish to say any more about the matter crete decisions were reached in the but she thought she ought to be compensated.

good sum, as an act of grace.

Evidence as to the condition of tions. the cycle was given by Sergeant Baker, who stated that the machine Government is ready to agree to was an A. J. S. which was almost the enforcement of a graduated new. The brakes were in good tariff provided the Nationalists working order.

turned a verdict of "Accidental used properly, secondly to the ad-Death," adding that no blame at- justment of Japan's unsecured loans tached to the driver of the motor to China.

The Coroner, through his inter- question will be kept separate from preter informed the mother of the the question of treaty revision, but unfortunate girl that the jury had observers consider that the settlefound that Mr. Botelho was not to ment of the former, will greatly blame, but that compensation | facilitate the solution of other pendwould be paid,

PROPERTY SALES.

KEEN BIDDING FOR LARGE KOWLOON LOT.

The jury returned a verdict of "Accidental Death" in an inquiry. at the P.W.D. by Mr. F. Sutton at conducted yesterday by Major C. tracted a large number of prospective bidders yesterday, but it appeared after the commencement, The girl, according to an earlier that principal interest was center-report, was knocked down by a ed on a plot of land situated at the motor cycle driven by Mr. H. A. junction of Nathan and Prince Edthat went at a figure above the up-Dr. G. H. Thomas, of the Gov- set, and was knocked down to the Ho Tung interests.

The sale opened with the putting Shamshuipo, with an area of 952 Rental of \$6, for a term of 75 years from 1898. Conditions of sale At the post mortem examination, called for the expenditure of a sum of \$4,000 in rateable improvements within 24 months and levelling as approved by the Director of Public

Works within 12 months. No bid above the upset price was Mr. Botelho, giving evidence received and the lot was knocked

Second Offering.

The second offering was Kowloon Inland Lot No. 2143, situate at the junction of Nathan and Prince Edward Roads, having an area of 20,-550 square feet on an annual Crown Rental of \$236 and held for a term of 75 years from 1928, with the option of a renewal for a further similar period. Conditions of sale included the expenditure on rateable improvements to the value of \$60,000 within 24 months and the usual clause as to levelling within 12 months.

Opening at the upset price of \$46,237.50, bids of \$100 were ac-The girl got clear of the cycle, coptable and the price quickly rose her shoulder got involved with the dollars and cents and put the figure cycle's headlight. The cycle fell, up to \$47,200. Thereafter the bids hrowing Mr. Botelho, who noticed were at the minimum and after a keen contest by two opposing in-Mr. Botelho next saw the girl terests, the sale was concluded in

Further Lots.

With the main sale completed, there were but few left to compete It took two district watchmen Inland Let No. 1168, situate at the and a Shantung constable to induce | junction of Apliu and Shek Kip Mei the girl's mother to allow the Street, Shamshuipe. This let had matter to be taken before the an area content of 5,814 square police, and after some while the feet at an annual Crown Rental of parties arrived at the No. 2 Police \$40, with conditions of sale includ-Station. The girl was despatched ing a clause calling for the expenat once from the Police Station to diture of \$10,000 on rateable imthe Government Civil Hospital.

Mr. G. W. R. Griggs spoke of sceing the cycle drop. He said months, certain parts to be hand-there was a bucket over the handle-ed over to the Government free of

> upset price of \$8,720 and the lot was knocked down to Mr. Wong Iutong of 48 Bonham Strand without opposition.

JAPAN AND CHINA.

NEGOTIATIONS TO BEGIN SHORTLY.

Tokyo, Oct. 9. ut she thought she ought to be interview between Mr. T. V. Soong ompensated.
Inspector Alexander (to the panese Consul General at Shanghai, Coroner): As far as compensa- on the 7th inst., Foreign Office tion goes, the driver of the cycle circles predict the early opening of is quite willing to give a fairly a basic talk preliminary to the initiation of Sino-Japanese negotia-

It is generally believed that the without retiring, the jury re- revenue derived therefrom shall be

> It is understood that the tariff ing problems .- Reuter.

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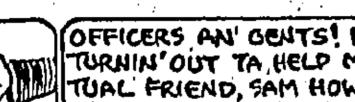
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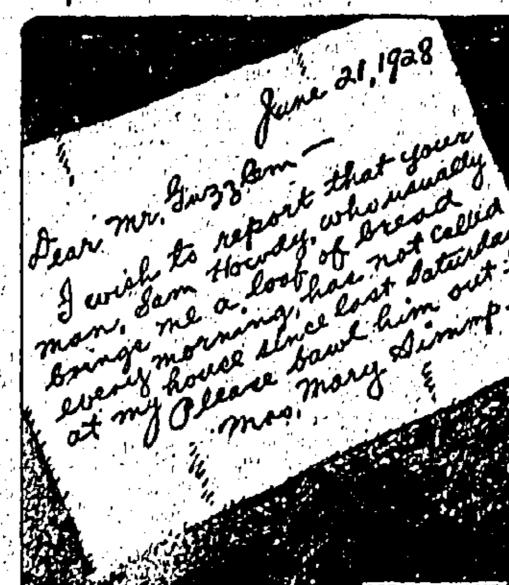
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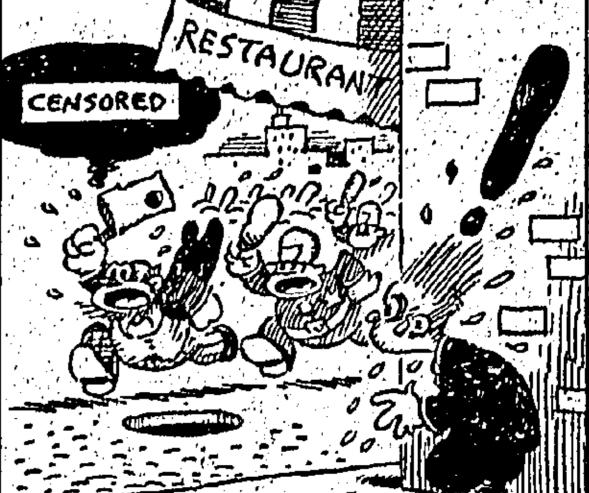


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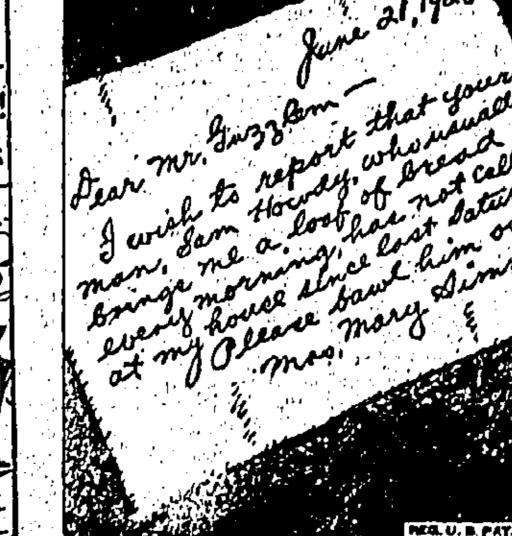




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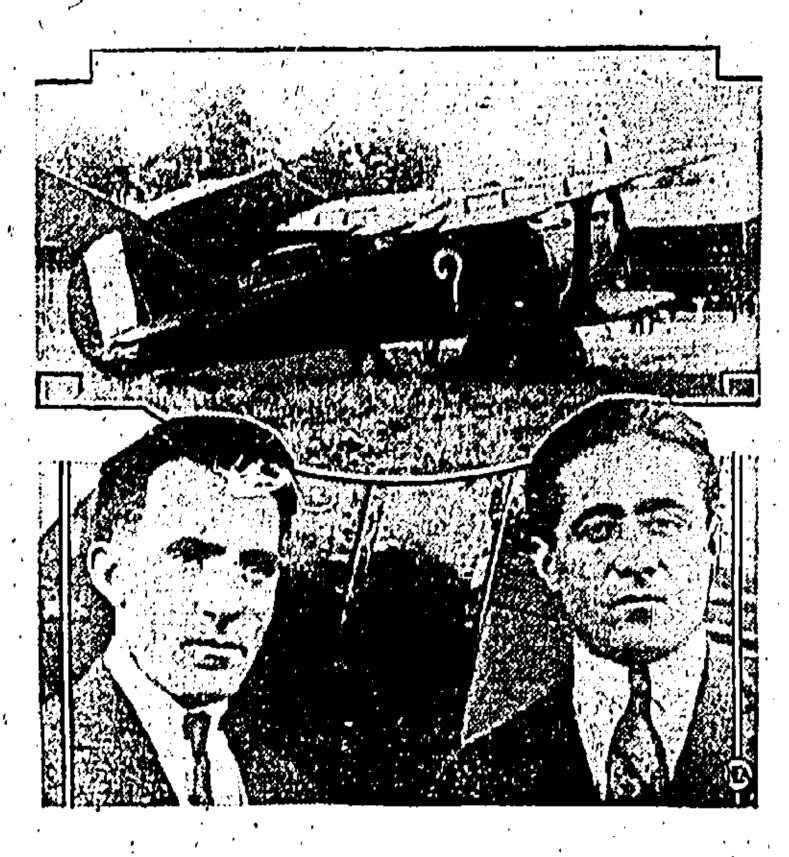
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Before Miss Setsu Matsudaira recently became the bride of Prince Chichibu, heir apparent to the throne of Japan, she had to bid final farewell to her girl frierds, court etiquette torbidding further company with them. Miss Matsudaira, daughter of the former ambassador to the United States, is pictured above, in American costume, saying goodbye to some of her former friends in Tokyo.



Here are the principals in what probably will be the next Atlantic flight attempt. Above is the Breguet biplane in which M. Costes hopes to fly from Paris to New York. It is a duplicate of the machine in which he and Lebrix flew to South merica and toured the United Sates. This plane, however, bears an ominous question mark instead of the name "Nungesser Coli." Below are Costes, left, and his mechanic, Bellonte, who may accompany him on the flight.



Mr. Arthur S Garbuett, musical critic and the editor for the U S. National Broadcasting Co. had never been up in a plane, but when apt. Royle, British airman offered to take him up for a drop to improve Garbett's hearing, the critic agreed as once. Photo shows the plane in its 8500foot nonedive from 11,500 feet to 3000 feet 'It was snapped 6000 feet up from another plane that dropped dizzily to get the picture, and almost cracked up near San Francisco. Inset is Garbett, who says the relief to his ears was only



A striking picture taken just as the top portion of a church stoople was crashing to the ground. The crash was not the result of an accident. When the repairs to the steeple began to grow costly members of the church decided to remove it. ...



A scone taking during the Shanghai performance of "The Lotter" by the American Players, who have been attracting big audiences.



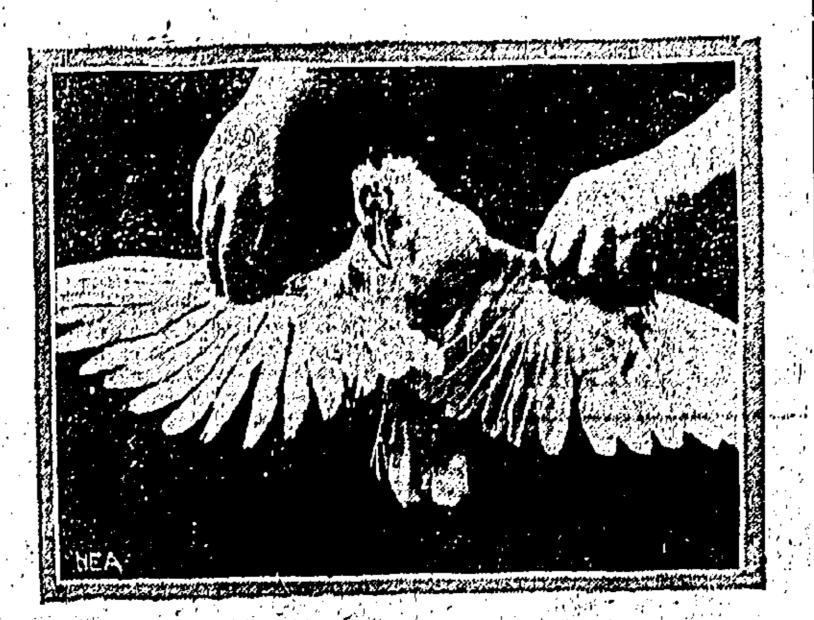
A thrilling scone from "His Dog" a film recently released for exhibition in China.



Nobody knew that Jasoha Helfetz and Florence Vidor were married until they were leaving New York for California. Then they anplunced they had been married quietly after their recent return from Europe. Holfetz, generally regarded as the greatest technical master of the violin, is 27; his wife 33.



Above is the only dog in the world which has been on expeditions to both the North and South Poles. It is seen in the arms of the chief cook of Commander Byrd's ship "The City of New York" which has left for the Anarctic.



The rare phenomenon of the appearance of a white crow was witnessed by members of a party escorting Mr. William M. Jardine, of the U.S. Department of Agriculture, on a motorboat trip. The bird was shot down and it was found that the bird's head, bill and fast are white, and its eyes are pink. Jardine will have the specimen presented to a museum.

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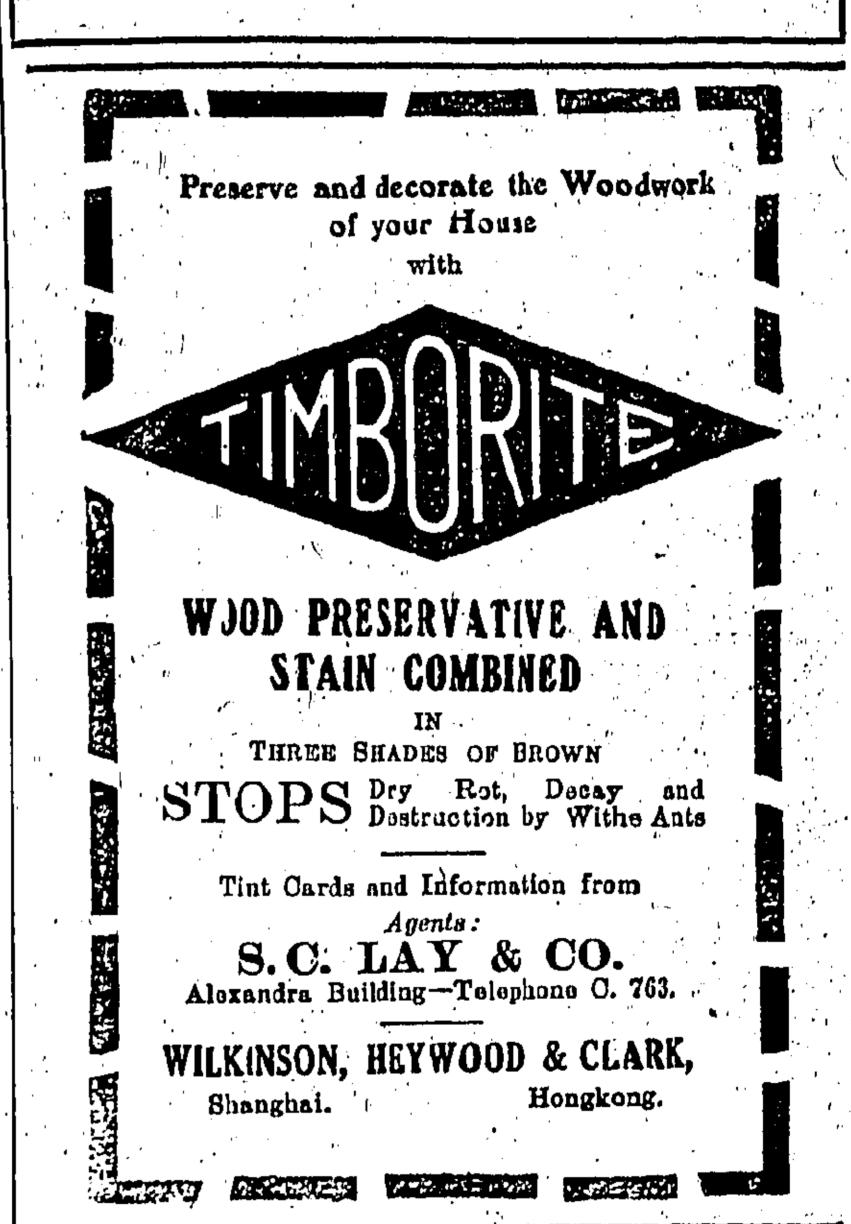
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Subscribers are notified that the Annual Meeting will be held on Tuesday, October 16th, at 5.30 p.m. in the Board Room, Mesers. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. All those interested in hunting, steeplechasing, or point-to-points are invited to attend.

HONGKONG TELEPHONE CO., LTD.

Mr. Thomas Andrew Barry has been appointed Acting Secretary of the above Company as from the 10th October, 1928.

By Order of the Board,

J. H. TAGGART, Chairman. Hongkong, 11th October, 1928.

MARINE ENGINEERS' GUILD OF CHINA.

Hongkong Branch.

Members are requested to attend Regular Monthly Meeting at the GUILD OFFICE, 67. Des Voeux Road Central, (DAVID HOUSE) on Thursday, 11th October, 1928, at Six o'clock p.m.

BUSINESS.

GENERAL W. J. STOKES, Branch Secretary.

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C. F. V. RIBEIRO, Acting Secretary. Hongkong, 10th October, 1928.

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It is hereby notified that scaledtenders, in triplicate, which should be clearly marked "TENDER FOR STORES" will be received at the Colonial Secretary's Office, Banque de L'Inde-Chine, until noon of Wednesday, the 24th day of Octo of ber, 1928, for the supply and derenewal at a Crown Rent to be livery of Stores required by Government Departments during the

For Specifications and Forms of Tender apply at the office. of Superintendent Accounts and Stores, Public Works Department, from whom further particulars can be had on application.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender and reserves to itself the option of accepting FOR ALL OR ANY PART of each Specification

HAROLD T. CREASY, Director of Public Works. Hongkong, 5th October, 1928.

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that THE SEVENTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the Company many of the latter carrying babies will be held at the Offices of the General Managers, 2, Lower Albert | the various routes of escape to safethe Offices of the Public Works Road Hongkong, on Friday, 12th October, 1928, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors together with Statement of Accounts, and re-electing Directors and Auditors.

Company will be CLOSED from epidemic of looting and were asthe 28th September to the 12th October, 1928, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors,

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Damaged packages will be examined the Offices of the Public Works by the Company's Surveyor Messrs. Goddard and Douglas in the presence of the Consignees at 10.00 a.m. on Tuesday the 16th October, 1928. No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

L. LESDOS, Agent Hongkong, 10th October, 1928.

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HANKOW'S RECENT DISASTER.

(Continued from Page 1.)

many of their belongings and carry them to a place of safety, but thousands lost all their possessions. Those who were less fortunate rushed dither and thither, moaning, wailing and generally crying out against the disaster that had overtaken them.

Long streams of men and women, or leading tiny children fled along ty. Men and boys of all ages staggered along under impossible burdens of salvaged goods, terror stamped on every line of their sweating features. Confusion was everywhere. The troops of the Wuhan Garrison Hoadquarters The TRANSFER BOOKS of the were called out to prevent any sisted by the police of the Wuhan Public Safety Bureau. crowds of the neighbouring populace jammed the roads and alleyways leading to the fire and scrambled for convenient yantage points. Secretary. Many of these had relatives and Hongkong, 18th September, 1928. friends residing in the burning areas and rushed in all directions in search of them, adding further to the scene of confusion.

Spreads Across Roads.

After completely devastating one block the fire spread across the roads in three directions and commenced its destructive work anew. From the moment when it secured a hold on the first block of huts there was no possibility of saving the other areas of similar buildings in the vicinity. It was merely a matter of conjecture whether the brigades would be able to prevent its spread into Consignees are hereby informed that the business district. This, however, was accomplished towards dawn which revealed a scene of desolation and waste almost in-

Ruin, complete ruin, lay everywhere, In two of the blocks brick dwellings, numbering hundreds, not a stick was standing. Nothing but a litter of crumpled galvanised iron, broken brickwork and ashes met the eye. Temporary shelters were being erected on the border of the ruins and coolles, scavengers and some of the ruined families prodded with hoes among the ashes hoping to find some of their lost property.

Huge Damage.

Where once stood a famous tea shop of several storeys there now stand small portions of a brick wall. All that is left of several small factories is a mass of twisted machinery. Several huge iron electric wiring standards stand grotesquely contorted along the road-side, affent witnesses of the terrific heat which accompanied the conflagration.

The damage is difficult to estimate but as most of the destroyed dwellings were of the cheaper type it cannot be very extensive from that viewpoint. It is estiloon, where it will lie at Consignee's mated that over a thousand dwellings of all varieties were destroy ditions of storage at Holt's Wharf. ed. It is known that at least six persons perished in the flames, one of whom was a Chinese policeman. many others sustained serious injuries. Considering the size of the fire the loss of life was remarkably small.

Two Generals Accused.

. During the recent fighting at

Peking, Oct. 9.

Tangshan Pei Chung-hai captured Generals Heu Kun and Wang Tung of the Chilli-Shantung army. It be is reported from a reliable source that the National Government has ordered them south where they will be tried for complicity in the assassination of General Chen Chimai in Shanghai ten years ago. Chen Ohi-mal was tutuh of the Shanghal area after the first revo-

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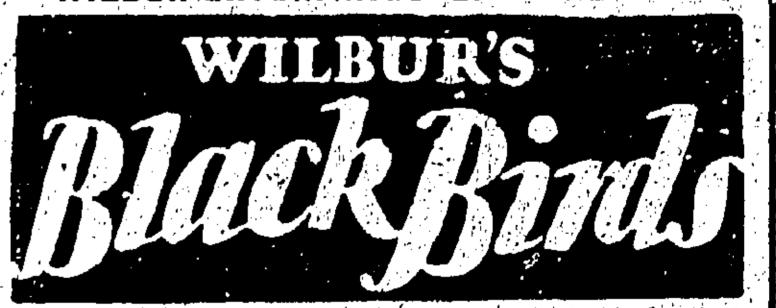
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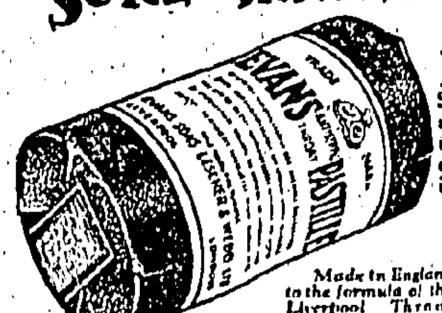
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"What is this about stockings?" s a question many are asking. Are coloured ones coming in!

Windows full of black ones have been seen. A new pinkish grey has appeared too often to be ignor , and gun metal is being worn by a number of the smartest Parislennes.

In answer to those queries, live colours are not here yet-except for evening wenr-neither are black stockings.

Pinkish grey is fashionable, also gun metal, which, when on, looks like a transparent black. It is a strange thing that with short skirts, hosiery has so far not launched any popular surprises other than clox and jewelled anklets; however, there is still time

Any and everything calculated to impart a touch of originality to a jumper is just now eagerly courted. Hence the approval accorded the vogue of belts half-an-inch in width, or approximately that.

These may be of suede kid, or material, and incidental as they are, immediately catch the eye as a novelty.

Another notable persuasion among the well-dressed in that of mingling kasha with Milanese for complete jumper suits, an idea that at once suggests short lengths, usually kept in one colour. A model seen affected two shades of kasha for the skirt, the hem being of a deeper tone, which reappeared in the narrow belt, front strapping of the collar, and pocket binds on the Milanese jumper.



A contdress like the one skepched here is a useful possession, since a variety of dainty blouses may be worn beneath the open-fronted bodice. The model is expressed in caramel colour maracain and the blouse in beige silk embroidered lightly in gold.



A dinner-gown in chestnu t brown chiffon and lace, having the latest skirt which dips low at the back, and the swathed bodice lifted alightly in front.

Bobbed Hair.

A CINEMA STAR'S OPINION

"We can be coorced into wearing transformations and switches some of the newest lingeric models. when a production calls for long haired role, but very few of dress, its scalloped hem edged with us will ever play our real life narrow lace, has a circular dip at roles with a psycho pinned the back in the manner approved by securely on our heads."

swer an interviewer the other day it is sleeveless, and a girdle of when asked if she had decided to pink satin finished with a roselto add a few more inches to her encircles the waist. pale gold bob.

wenying a delicate wave into the ment, is a popular trimming for upstar's brilliant hair. The wave was close to the head, the ends caught at the back of the cars, outlining the lovely contour of Miss Ralston's head and neck.

"Light hair is far more lovely short than long," continued Miss Rulston. "The sun finds an opportunity to reflect glowing colour in a crop of gold or red hair that is not set and pinned into dull-

Variety of Fashions.

. "I can arrange my short hair in at least six different fashions.

"The strongest argument against gatin directoire knickers trimmed the return of long-hair should be with pearl, silver, or diamante emthe hat situation. The chie hat broidery. fits the head relentlessly snug. The lines of the head are followed doubtless ahead, dainty hand-made unfailingly and to have this line lace wool undergarments, in some broken by a bump of hair at the cases lined with chiffon, are availhack of the neck would be a de- able. cidedly unfashionable thing.

"Most women's lives have become far too complicated for them | Florence Vidor, her smart clipped to go back to the 'hour-before-the- hair, softly waved close to her mirror process every time they head, caught behind her cars, adjust their hair.

"To the few that bewail the lack "I do not believe this talkedof dignity in bobbed hair, I would about return of long hair means a reply that dignity is a thing most thing. I have just returned from of us are trying to forget, and a trip to New York and found even the bob can be dignified if all my friends there and in the handled properly. What can be middle-west paying regular visits No. 81B, Top Floor, Wyndham St. more regal than the sight of to the barber shops,"

New Lingerie Models.

SOME SPECIAL FEATURES.

The uneven hem is a feature of n A dainty shellpink georgette night Fashion for many evening frocks. Thus did Esther Ralston an- Like the majority of nightdresses,

Coloured ince or net to tone with During this discussion a hair- the georgette, silk or satin that is dresser with nimble fingers was used to fashion the rest of the garto-date lingerie. There is fascinating cardigan, too, made from rose-coloured lace, with a border of georgette the same shade.

Pyjama suits with "jumper" tops are in great favour. A new model has a bright floral crepe de Chine jumper with an attractive jabot in front, the trousers being of plain washing antin.

Silhouette-shaped Princess slips of washing satin are an inspiration, since there is no tiresome fulness to mar the fit of the frocks worn

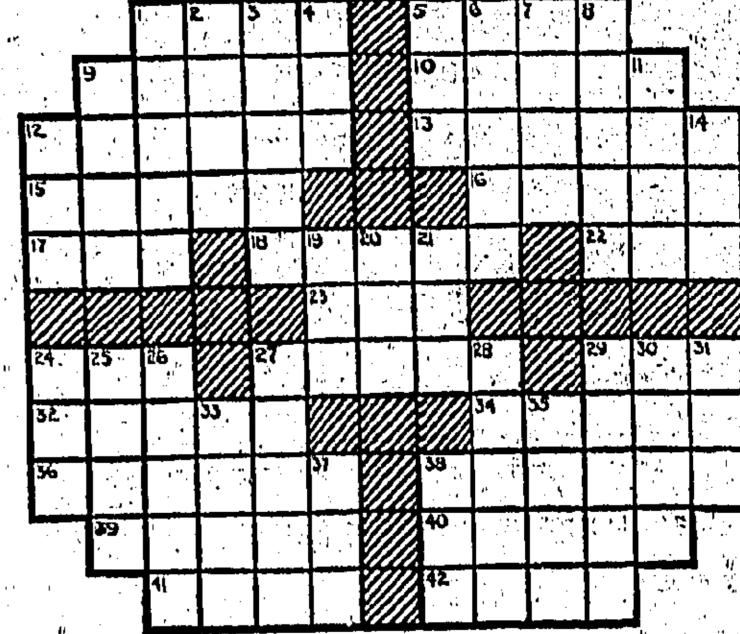
For evening wear there are When it was long I was limited to "backless" cami-knickers of georg-two. ette in delicate shades, and soft

For the chilly days that are

swept off her forehead?

NOW THAT I SANEDAIM

OUR CROSSWORD PUZZLE.



Horsizontal

1 To wither as a plant. 5 A shark of the West Indian

region. 9 Large glandular organ. 10 To beguile. 12 Woolly.

18 Spheres or cubes. " 15 Old-womanish. 16 Projecting ridge. 17 Affirmative. 18 To remove by washing lightly.

22 Organ of sight. 23 By way of. 24 To damage. 27 Typical genus of moles.

29 One plus one. 32 Rounded convex molding. 84 Cruder. 36 To scold. 38 Tractable.

30 Competitor. 40 To improve. 41 Compartment of a prison. 42 Nude.

Vertical

Conclusion. 2 Pertaining to grandparents. 3 To restrain. 4 Before.

5 Acriform fluid. 6 Substitute for soap. 7 Either of two large bullrushes growing in southwestern United

8 Apart. 9 Alley. 11 Sharp. 12 To place or deposit. 19 Yellow bugle. 20 Nothing. 21 Fluid from a tree. 24 Crowd." 25 To assert. 26 Dowy. 27 Sum. 28 Fragrant smell. 29 To embrace. 30 To join metals by fusion. 31 Silver in rock. 33 To wash. 35 Maple tree.

3B Any flat fish. Yesterday's Solution.

37 Measure of cloth.

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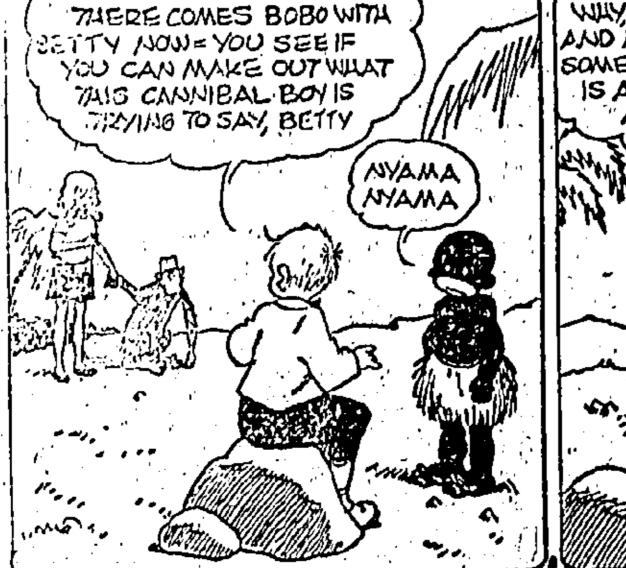
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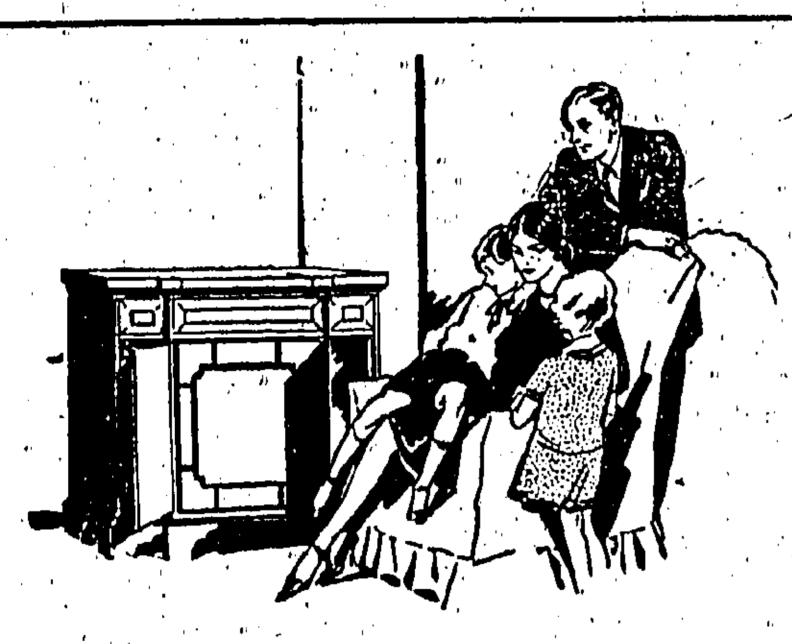
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Ajongkong Telegraph.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1928

FRESH START.

To-day is being regarded by the Chinese as a particularly auscidence the anniversary of the esobservance of Confucius' birthday. The occasion is likely tions on the part of the Nationalist Government, in which much National Day, history has a centralised Government rest whole country. It has been tionalist control and to bring the various leaders, together under a far greater measure of success picions are without improving, has been attained than would have The obstacles have been many, and if they have not yet all been far more promising than it has who have patiently plodded with a determination to evolve order out of chaos, now have the satisfaction of knowing that they have served their country to some

that on the very eye of the Nathe Nationalist Government has been accomplished. Yesterday's telegrams gave the details of the new administrative bodies, and a study of these warrants the belief that a workable scheme has matter at issue. been evolved. The personnel of the Government Council is also such as to inspire the hope that a policy of moderation will be followed both in internal and inaffairs. Marshal ternational Chiang Kai-shek, as the Chairman of the Council, becomes virtually President of China, a post which should satisfy his ambitions and make him feel that his services in the field have been very highly appraised by his fellow-Nationalists. We note with much satisfaction the inclusion of so many Moderates in the new Council, including Marshal Li Chai-sum, whose record of sound and stable rule in Canton has won him many golden opinions. Whether he returns to the South or not, he may be depended upon to

fluence in the councils of the Government, But, perhaps, tho most striking appointment of all is that of General Chang Hauchliang, son of the Into Marshal is NOT LIKELY TO LOSE IT IN ANY Chang Tso-lin, and now ruler of the Three Eastern Provinces. The fact that he has accepted Shanghai, is due here at 6 a.m. on office in the newly-created Gov- Friday. ernment Council must be , taken as an earnest of his wish Manchuria should definitely join hands with the Nationalists and recognise Nationalist authority. This is a development of highest importance, and, coupled with the fact that Canton, Hankow and Peking leaders figure in the Council, it helps us Hongkong Telephone Co., Ltd. to visualise the extent to which Nanking's authority has spread. H. Beavis returned to the Colony The dream of a united China, this morning after a most enjoyowing allegiance to one Central able holiday in Indo-China. Government, at last looks coming true.

But the reorganisation of Government, necessary and es- Jackson to H. M. S. Sussolk. sential as it is, does not represent the completion of the Nationalists task. Rather does it mark beginning. The machinery covernment has been created; it day. now has to be put into motion. And it will be judged by what it nounced of Mr. R. O. Sutherland accomplishes. We believe in the architect, of 368, The Peak, to Miss sincerity of the Nationalist lead- C. N. G. Guinness Oswald, of Tal ers in desiring to restore order to their country and in wishing to initiate the many needed reforms They have heavy tasks ahead, but in the work to which they are putting their hands they have the real sympathy of their foreign friends, who on this day of rejoicing join in the hope that success will attend their efforts.

Naval Limitation.

The unhesitating condemnation picious date, for by a happy coin- of the Angle-French naval limitation proposals by Washington tablishment of the Republic falls clearly the basis of the Italian Note on the same day as the yearly on the same subject handed to the British and French Ambassadors Pak Tin, Shamshulpo was fined on Sunday. If anything, it is \$100 by Mr. W. Schofield at the given added point on that account, Kowloon Magistracy this morning. be marked by important declara- rather than the contrary. Italy is The defendant's wife was also ar a trifle more restrained in her re- rested, but, on the husband taking jection, at the same time leaving no the responsibility, she was disroom for doubt that the suggestions charged. will doubtless be said regarding outlined do not meet with apits future policies. Since the last proval. If any spark of life remained in the compromise, it may bour was imposed by Mr. W. Scho- to Hongkong on June 30. On renow be regarded as extinguished, field, at the Kowloon Magistracy turning he saw Tong Kwok-choy made in China, happily in the it is finally made clear that the authlis morning, on the young Chinese when he was asked to sign a cirdirection of the establishment of thors of the Agreement approached woman who, yesterday, pleaded cular letter which had been sent a vital international interest from guilty to a charge of larceny of \$79 to the whole of the staff. That ponsible for the governing of the through newspaper propaganda and defendant's husband refused to in teriorating." The circular letter partly through the secrecy imposed any way compensate the complain- was to the effect that a new comby the two Governments concerned, ant tremendous task to extend Na- the compromise was, further, vested with an air of diplomatic dexterity which created suspicion in every direction. Britain may prove up to one banner, but it can be said that the hilt how unfounded those susany appreciable extent, the feeling abroad. The Italian Note contains seemed possible within the time. many interesting observations Rome follows Washington in expressing a desire for limitation of tonnage rather than a reduction of overcome, the situation to-day is specific classes. Logically, the attitude cannot be attacked. The prospects of general agreement seem to been for very many years. Those depend entirely upon a proposal of Mr. W. Schofield, at the Kowloon on, this nature, and British experts Magistracy this morning, oh a dom to build the classes most suit- stated that he had returned to able to each country's vital needs is see his mother who was ill, was It is especially satisfactory cellent gesture in this connexion, that she had sent a letter to her ing charged with possession of in her lodgings poured to in the tional Day the reorganisation of exceeded by any Power in Contin- been mixing with bad characters. ental Europe, in other words, by France. The annotation to the offeet that disarmament should be taken on the broader basis to em- 400 PLANES IN FRENCH brace air, land and sea armaments is well reasoned, but scarcely comes within the scope of the

EXCHANGE RATES.

such as to inspire the hope that	
a policy of moderation will be	
followed both in internal and in-	London, Oct. 9. Paris Geneva
ternational affairs, Marshal	Paris
Chiang Kai-shek, as the Chair-	Berlin
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services in the field have been	New York
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fellow-Nationalists. We note with	Vienna
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DAY BY DAY.

.THE MAN WHO IN THIS WORLD CAN KEEP THE WHITZNESS OF HIS SOUL other.—Alexander Smith.

The P. and O. s.s. Morea, from

The P. and O. s.s. Jeypore, from Singapore, is due here at 6 p.m. on Monday next.

The Ben Line s.s. Benreoch, from Home, Straits and Philippines ports, is due here to-morrow.

Mr. T. A. Barry has been also appointed Acting Secretary of the Dr. J. H. Sanders and Mr. C. E.

> Surgeon, Lieut. D. R. Campbell, M.D., has been appointed to H.M.S., Mantis, and Surgeon Lieut, P. B.

The R.M.S. Empress of Russia is due here on October 16th the (Tuesday). She will sail for of Manila at 10.00 p.m. on the same

The forthcoming wedding is an-

The s.s. Charles Hardouin was aken in hand at Taikoo yesterday for overhaul and refit after a long lay-up, preparatory to being again placed on the Kongmoon run.

A notice placed on the door of a Chinese shop in the business centre of Hongkong to-day stated: -- "To-day we rest for the sake of Confucius congradulations."

A Japanese named Tajima, who nas appeared at the Kowloon Magistracy on several previous occasions, was this morning fined \$7 by Mr. W. Schofield for being found drunk and incapable in Temple Street.

sion of 350 debonators, a villager of board and lodging.

a singularly selfish angle. Partly and a quantity of jewellery. The was when the business was "de-

This morning's Harbour Office charged. reports gave a heavy list of arrivals and departures, 20 and 22 respectively, leaving 55 vessels in port, of which 15 were British. Tonnage was above the 56,000 ton mark, bu freights were poor, the British registures being 2,410 inward and only 50 through. With three vessels entering in ballast, Dutch returned the day's high figures.

Appearing on remand before must seek a means to this end. A charge of returning from banishfixed aggregate tonnage with free- ment, a Chinese, who yesterday is an easy and safe solution-pro-sentenced to eight months' hard vided always the first factor can be labour. Sergeant Humphreys said men agreed upon. Italy makes an ex- the mother denied to the police trai declaring her willingness to accept son. She added that her son reany figure, however low, if it is not turned in February last and had

AIR MANOEUVRES.

BOMBED.

Paris, Sept. 14. in the first of the French man- of them should plead guilty. ocuvres, which began this morn- The remaining eight defendants ing in the south-western region were accordingly discharged.

following the manoeuvres, drove ground floor, by her brother. early this morning to the head-understood her brother wanted to quarters of the General in com- sell them. She pleaded that she

The first encounter they, wit- about the arms. only one group of the attacking beries. planes had successfully carried

out its mission. This was followed by an attack in which four enemy planes made woman.

CLERK'S CLAIM FOR \$500 DEPOSIT.

AFFAIRS OF SOUTH CHINA IMPORT AND EXPORT CO.

A claim concerning a deposit of \$500 as_employment security was heard in the Summary Court this morning, before Mr. Justice Jacks, when Taui Kung-cho, 57. Wellington Street, first floor, sued the South China Import and Export Company and two partners, Chung Kam-ching and Tong Kwok-choy, 85, Queon's Road Central, first floor. The plaintiff claimed the sum of \$503.73, being \$500 principal due under a deposit note dated July 31, 1928, and \$3.78 interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum for 89 days. The money was alternatively claimed as money lent.

Mr. W. D. Owen was for the plaintiff and the defendants were quakes, may be attributed to bad

The plaintiff stated, in evidence, that he was employed by the defendant firm as a clerk from April

About Hong Kong.

De you know that----

Hongkong has on several occasions had a Volunteer Fire Brigade?

One was formed in January, 1856, and in March of the same year a Chinese Brigade was also established.

The movement appears to have died, however, but in 1873 another Volunteer Brigade was formed under the auspices of the Hongkong Fire Insurance Companies, which also lapsed later.

During the Great War. Hongkong had another Voluntarily-raised Brigade.

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19, 1928; until July 31, 1928. His salary was \$40 a month, in addi-On a charge of being in posses- tion to which he received \$30 for

Plaintiff said that to "guard against any embezzlement that might do" he deposited the money with Tong Kwok-choy, in return for which he was given a receipt.

In pursuit of his duties, plaintiff went to Canton for the defen-Sentence of two month's hard In- | dant firm on April 19 and returned pany was being formed and that all the employees were to be dis-

Plaintiff further said that his deposit was not returned to him ceptance."-Judge Turner, a and when he asked for it he was. told that the Company had no money to pay but he was promised repayment when funds were avail-

His Lordship gave judgment for the plaintiff with costs.

ARMS POSSESSION

WOMAN SENT TO GAOL FOR 18 MONTHS.

appeared at the Cen-Magistracy two revolvers, one automatic pistol campet, threw butter on the floor, and twenty-seven rounds of am- burned a tablecloth and curtains. munition. The case was jointly broke three vases, tore paper from. jor C. Willson.

the defendants, all denied it except much disturbance one woman, who had a baby in her R.S.P.C.A. if they really set their arms. She told the Magistrates minds to it. that the arms were left at her house BRITISH EXPERTS SEE G.H.Q. by her brother.

Sub-Inspector M. Murphy inform. HAWAII POPULATION. ed his Worship that he had instructions to withdraw the case against Over 400 neroplanes took part the rest of the defendants, if one

of Paris, between Versailles and The woman who admitted possegsion said the weapons were placed The British air chiefs, who are at her house, No. 48 Caine Road

was a woman and knew very little nessed was a surprise attack on a Mr. Lindsell commented on the year, while Honolulu's population cavalry detachment by three fact that the arms were not new and squadrons of bombing planes, that they were the sort of revolvers. The chief umpire decided, that which were used for armed rob-

hard labour was imposed on the timated that there are 51,870

daring onslaught at a low alti- The police next preferred a Japanese alien population is tude on the headquarters of the charge of returning from banish-General commanding the defend- ment against one of the two ar- over last year. The number of ing army. One plane succeeded rested men, Pleading guilty, the in dropping bombs on the head- man was sentenced to twelve months and twenty strokes.

The Very Idea !

A correspondent sends to a Home paper the following schoolboy howlers, warranted genuine:

The climate of Europe is neither too hot nor too cold, but just nice. Another boy describes it as "sober, temperate, and mild."

The Protestant religion is divided into two parts. Whiga and Tories. The Tories go to church and the Whigs to chapel,

Oliver Cromwell, surnamed Commonwealth, was the only son of a browery, but in time of war he was a braye and noble leader. He fought in the War of the Roses. Aurora Boronlis is the Northern

Lights. They burn the oil out of the sea. Who introduced Christianity?-

Martin Luther. A syllable is that which can be

pronounced with one sweep of the The probable cause of earth-

drainage and neglect of sewage. Doole. Inspector Dodanduwa police. recently charged a Sinhalese boy, named

David, with having attempted to alter the railway signal, opposite the Dodanduwa police station. The Inspector said that the boy

after nightfall made an attempt to tie the revolving wheel of the signal with a piece of rope.

The Magistrate enquired of the lad why he did so.

The accused:—I did it for the fun of it. I wanted to see the train halt in the open. (Laughter). The Magistrate said that it was a serious offence, pundshable with a fine of Rs. 1,000, rigorous im-

prisonment and twenty-four lashes. The accused admitted the gravity of the offence which he said he now realized.

The Maxistrate ordered the ccused to be given ten cuts with a cane.

Lloyd George, fulfilled with dollars

and success. Throws up his task of writing for the Press: Or has the Yankee Press, with

rising gorge, At last decided to throw up Lloyd George?

"You certainly have prima facio. evidence," remarked Dr. J. S.. Crone, Willesden magistrate, to a man with two black eyes, who applied for an assault summons. While I was trying to struck:

him, he stroked me with a stack," said a Mansfield defendant. Defendant at Mansfield (accused of thest): I admit it, but I dony

Man at Southend (summoned for leaving his motor-car outside the police station): I thought it was a chapel.

Woman at Bow: Because I am. a man's wife have I got to do everything he tells me?

"To dump a thing over a garden wall does not constitute ac-Westminster County Court,

Drinkall was the name of a cellarman fined at Marlboroughstreet for being drunk and dis-

Isaac (who had just recovered from a serious dilness)-"Doctor, you have charged me for four vecks' calls; I vill pay for only three vecks."

Doctor-But I called on you. every day for four weeks." Isaac-"Vell, dere vas von veek" I vas delizious, and I didn't see you

A girl at Brighton who disthis morn- approved of the breakfast; ovided heard by Mr. R. E. Lindsell and Ma- the wall and broke a table. She probably meant to show that the On the charge being read out to Food Reformers could make as

JAPANESE ALIENS SECOND TO FILIPINOS.

The population of the Territory of Hawaii is estimated at 348,767 persons, an increase of 15,847 over last year, according to statistics just released by the Territorial Board of Health.

Hilo's population is estimated at 12,850, a gain of 456 in the gained 6400, making the total of

A feature of the report is that

alien Japanese have taken second Sentence of eighteen months' place in the territory. It is es-Filipines in the islands. The placed at 51,348, a decrease of 616 American citizens of Japanese ancestry is given as 88,252, which is an increase of 2574 over last year.—Christian Science Monitor.

St. Stephen's College Concert.

To celebrate the "Double Tenth"

festival, as well as the birthday

of Confucius, the students of St.

Stephen's College, last night en-

Hall of the St. Stephen's Girls'

festivals were being celebrated.

galore from the great sage's teach-

'Nanking Celebrations.

holiday garb.—Reuter.

celebrations.-Reuter.

Martial Law in Shanghai.

KEEPS SAME ENGINES.

BIRD DEALER FINED.

drinks water "neat" was decided schools marched in. this morning at the Central The programme consisted Magistracy, when Mr. A. H. Crook. songs, an address by Mrs. Tso Shi-Headmaster of Queen's College, fong and a pageant presenting the who has made a study of birds, history of the years of the particularly Eastern birds, gave public. This was conducted ovidence in Mr. R. E. Lindsell's Miss Shin Tack-hing.

to Animals prosecuted a stall- riders setting out for the sixtyholder of the Central Market for mile ride. keeping a cage of these birds and depriving them of water.

described in English as a dove or ment in the Hall. a pigeon. Defendant suggested that it was not necessary to give water to the birds, as it was taken with their food, a sufficient proportion of water being mixed.

In evidence, Mr. Crook stated that he had made a study of birds, particularly birds of this part of Asia. He had seen the bird connected with the case and it was his opinion that the species required water.

Quoting from a book by H: is a very thirsty bird."

found in the cage.

PING PONG TOURNEY.

EASY VICTORY FOR NEW CHAMPION.

Playing in the final of the Colony's Singles ping pong tourney ment. at the Chinese Catholic Society's premises last evening, Kwan Manching defeated Ng Tai-ping, last year's champion, in two straight 🖢 веія, 3-2, 3-1,

ching had the match well in hand, down to enjoy a programme, cluded in the three day programme various Chinese provinces sent to sending' home many brilliant which promised to take up the beginning to-day on the occasion the post office on September 18 smashes with the ex-champion out whole day. It consisted of drills of the "Double Tenth" celebrations, were seized. of position. Ng at times tried to and action songs contributed by his drives returned and had to be by friends of the School. content with playing on the defensive. Kwan exhibited all-round superiority and was greatly applauded.

The "Kom Tong" Challenge Cup thus goes to Kwan Man-ching, who l is also champion of the South China, Athlelic Association this

RIFLE SHOOTING.

PORTUGUESE VOLUNTEERS HOLD COMPETITION.

The Rifle Club of the Portuguese | Sage. . Company of the H.K.V.D.C. held cutter's, in conjunction with Part 2.

competed for and the winner was Teacher. Lieut. S. Jarvis with a score of 97 l points. Prizes for the second and third bestacores, presented by the officers of the Company, were won by L/Sergt. H. J. Silva, 95 Chan Siu-hing. The sacrifice was points, and Private F. Ribeiro, 94

tion, the winners being L/Sergt. the customary kow-tow and while H. J. Silva, L/Sergt, J. A. Del- the five members were performing gado, Cpl. C. A. Cunha, and L/Cpl. E. V. M. Souza with a total of 320 music was rendered. After this points.

TROOPING SEASON.

10TH HUSSARS POSTED TO

London, Oct. 9.

EGYPT.

under the command of Lieutenant-Colonel Greenwood, sail- pernicious doctrines of which ed from the Southampton to-day on were in direct contrast to Conthe transport City of Marseilles fucianism. However, the life of for Egypt. They will relieve the the Communist movement had 15th Hussam, who are going on to proved to be short lived, and with India.—British Wireless.

Yesterday's return of notifiable diseases show two cases of typhold theria. The last-named was German, the others all being Chinese.

Amongst the passengers who were Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Allen, and dance in the Great Hall to Mrs. Greenhalgh, Mr. C.B. Brooke celebrate the day. and Mr. V.H.C. Jarrett.

DUAL FESTIVAL CELEBRATED.

- (Continued from Page 1.)

At ten o'clock in the forencon, the Young Women's Christain Association took up their programme of celebration for the girl |cert given in the Kwok Siu Lau students of the Colony in the hall An interesting point, as to whe- of the Y. M. C. A. This was filled ther or not a type of bird, known to capacity when the official reto the Chinese as Pun Kan Chenk, presentatives of twenty-two girls

During the day, the Y.M.C.A. The case was one in which the conduted a bicycle excursion Society for Prevention of Cruelty around the New Territories, thirty

In the evening a member's dinner given in the Gymnasium is to be The bird had been variously held, followed by an entertain-

Girls Celebrate.

At the Koshing Theatre this ed with tumultuous applause. morning, the girls of the Yeung Chung School, a growing institution whose pupils number several hundreds, staged a Chinese performance to which a large number | ngs to show the wisdom and of parents and friends were vited, the latter including Mr. A. E. Wood, Director of Education.

of applause being frequent. The concert opened with an ad-Whistler, who Mr. Crook described dress by the Headmistress, Mrs. as an authority on Eastern birds Cheung Yeuk-mui, who spoke on he read to the court the following the importance of the day, as recomment on the red turtle dove, gards, firstly the anniversary of by the former speakers. He want- draws attention to alleged violawhich is the bird concerned in the Confucius, and, secondly, the ed to say in English what a very tions of the resolution adopted at whose names he gave the police. case: "Water is very essential to Chinese National Day. After pay remarkable occasion they were the Washington" Conference reit, as like other Chinese doves, it ing a tribute to the memory of celebrating, namely, the Birthday garding the maintenence of the the Sage, who enjoined love of of a great sage of China and also efficiency of the Chinese postal A fine of \$15 was imposed on country as one of the cardinal vir- the occasion of the founding of service, in connexion with the acdefendant, after Inspector Fowler tues, she referred to that great the Republic of China. It was a livity of postal employees against had given evidence to the effect event, 17 years ago, which saw the very remarkable thing that the the Japanese paper Shuntien Shih the a tin of dry grain and an establishment of a new Republic two dates should correspond this Pao. dmpby tin were the only receptacles for China and the opening of an year. He wanted to join with the had hers, which this year was of China:

> The speaker was enthusiastical- short interval. ly applauded.

After the audience had bowed three times on each occasion beforce the game, but found most of the pupils, and speeches rendered

Confucian Celebration.

To celebrate the anniversary of the birthday of the Chinese Sage, members of the Hongkong Confucius Society held a commemorative meeting this morning at the the Tai Ping Theatre, West Point. Over two thousand enthusiastic ad-

herents of Confucianism attended. The entrance to the theatre was beautifully decorated with flowers, which formed four big Chinese characters-"The Sage of Eternity." Inside, there were equally

meeting, which was immediately followed by the offering of sacri-The Lusiano Club Cup was fice at the altar of the Great

The offering ceremony was presided over by Mr. Li Yick-mui and Messrs. Au Lim-chuen, Chau Tung-sang, Lau Sing-cheong and made before a picture of the Sage, placed in the centre of the stage. There was also a team competi- The ceremony took the form of the sacrifice, appropriate Chinese there, was singing by young Chinese girls.

Communism Denounced.

Before the conclusion of the meeting, several of the members of the Society delivered speeches on Confucinnism, these including Mr. Li Yick-mui, who declared that the teachings of Confucius The 10th Hussars, from Houns- had been endangered recently by the invasion of Communism, the the extermination of Communism there had been a distinct revival of Confucianism.

Mr. Li added that the Nationalist Government had announced its intention to uphold the teachings of Confucianism, which provided the only means of preventing the moral downfall of the Chinese.

At the Hongkong University this

PEKING POSTAL OUTRAGES.

DESTRUCTION OF JAPANESE NEWSPAPERS.

tertained their friends at a con-DIPLOMATS NOTIFIED.

Peking, Oct. 4. action recently taken by the local capacity and even standing room Chinese postal organs in detaining was at a premium. Apparently it and burning large quantities of was not the programme that formcopies of the Shuntien Jipao, a ed the chief attraction, but the Chinese newspaper under Japanese chief factor was the fact that two management, is contrary to the decision reached at the Washing-The concert opened with a short ion Conference in connexion, with speech in Chinese by Mr. S. K. the Chinese postal administration Young who asked the vast gather- which provides that China shall ing to rejoice with him over the maintain her effective postal adfact that the College found such ministration, Mr. Yoshizawa, the a big and distinguished support Japanese Minister, finding it necesfor their concert. Mr. Young sary to arouse the attention of the given to him. touched the matter of the Nation-Powers participating in the al festival and observed that every Washington Conference respecting Chinese present must be glad that the action referred to, addressed a at last, after years of endeavour- note yesterday to the Diplomatic he had no right to have taken the ing, China was united. Portions Body. In it, he enumerates out things. Describing the defendant's of Mr. Yeung's speech were mark- rages committed by the Peking post offices towards the newspaper Mr. C. Y. Ching also addressed and suggests that the Diplomatic Body shall consider the matter and fucius Day and quoted passaves reach an agreement on some per-

speech also proved extremely with the Washington decision.— popular, interruptions in the form Instances Cited.

The Rev. E. W. L. Martin ad-Peking Oct. 4. dressing the gathering said that he had only two words to say, after the very elequent addresses cular letter to the other Minister

The letter gives instances of era of greater enlightenment, other speakers in reverence to the violations of the agreement as Just as France and the United great teacher of China and in bid follows: (1) On September 9 the defendant that he should not have States each had their National ding God's speed with all his heart postal union seized 700 copies of taken bay, so the Republic of China to the great Republic and people the Shuntien Shih Pao at the knife. railway-station after they had been ushered in with greater signifi- An interesting programme was handed to an official for despatch cance than was usual, in that it then presented to the nudlence, (It is reported that these copies) also marked the unification of songs, music, magic and short were subsequently burned); (2) China and the establishment of a plays being among, the numbers. On September 18 it was found more beneficial form of Govern- Mr. Harry Ore, a well-known that copies of the September 16 pianist, was amongst the enter- 17 and 18 issues, numbering 1,450 tainers. Tea was served during a each day, were seized by the postal workers' union while still in the post office; (3) on September 19 post office officials refused to re-Nanking, Oct. 9. | ceive 720 copies for Tientsin; (4) Aerial manoeuvres, public lec-on September 20 it was found that From the very start Kwan Man- portrait of Confucius, they settled tures and military parades are in-all papers marked for Japan and

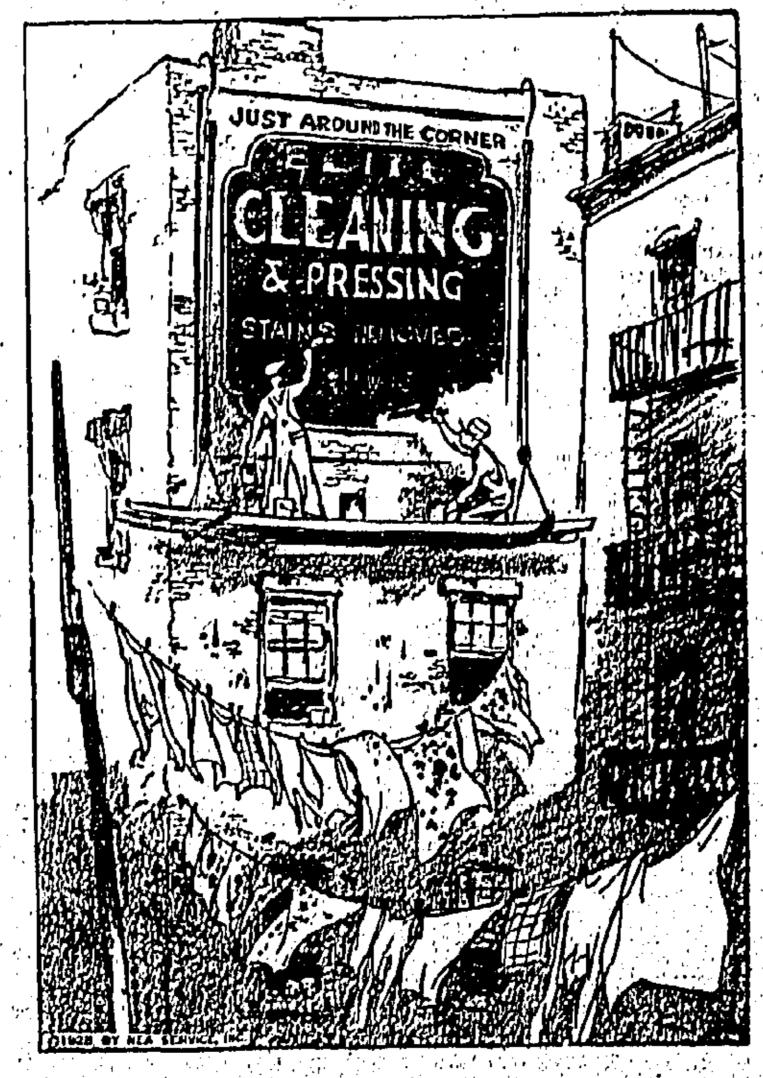
> The city presents a very gay ap. A spokesman of the Japanese Diana, U Un II, Ullswater, Grey pearance. Pailans have been Legation states that he understands Eyes, Duke of Verona, Duke of Nieerected at cross roads, in front of that these cases of infringement of blung, Sutherland, Copper Mine, Wild all official buildings as well as the agreement are receiving serious Fellow, Misty Eve, Gala Eve, the large business houses, while attention also from the other coun- Tarmacadam, Tarzan, Caesar, Waithe populace is turning out in tries signatory to the treaty .- | chow, Ching Hoi, Kwong Chow.

> The Chinese authorities have the foreign staff of the Hongkong Branco, My Lady, Westlake, Wuchang, declared martial law from mid. Electric Company defeated the local Misty Eve, Gala Eve, Tarmacadam, night during the "Double Ten" staff by 17 runs. Taking first knock, Casar, Tarzan. the staff, consisting mainly of I.R.C. players, compiled 71 runs, of which A. S. Ismail contributed 32. No other player reached double figures. Banks bowled very well for the foreign staff, taking 6 wickets for 15 Six Hundred, U Un II, Black Pearl, runs, while Murdock took 4 for 30.

Ing the familiar sayings of the Sage.

Although 1929 is the year auto- Murdock hitting up 45 before being wing Sun, Verona, Duke of Nieblung, Sutherland, Murdock hitting up 45 before being wing Sun, Verona, Duke of Nieblung, Sutherland, Sage.

This single- of the City of the single-series of the contributed no loss than the contribut The singing of the Chinese An- has been decided to let the pre- took five wickets for 32 and A. K. its annual competition at Stone- them, marked the beginning of the sent 911/2 cubic inches remain. Minu two wickets for 2.



Bringing in the Business

"DIRTY TRICK" BY INFORMER.

POLICE ADMISSION IN POSSESSION CASE.

DEFENDANT SUFFERS.

"Our point of view is that, no The hall was filled to its fullest In view of the fact that the doubt, the informer played a dirty trick on him," said Inspector Fallon, before Mr. W. Schofield at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, when prosecuting a Chinese on a charge of being in unlawful possession of a knife, wooden gags and a coll of wire.

The defendant said the articles mentioned in the charge had been

Inspector Fallon accepted the defendant's plea; but pointed out that arrest, Inspector Fallon said an informer told the police on October 1st that four armed men were having a moal at a certain ten house. A party of detectives, including the effective administration on Inspector Fallon and Sergeant Chinese postal affairs in conformity Moitram visited the place and in the cocklost they found the defendant alone. As the police entered, the defendant threw away a parcel He was taken into custody, and when searched, the knife was found The Japanese Minister in a cir- in the back of his girdle. He told the police that he had been given the things by three other men,

One of these men was the informer, who had since disapeared. There was no doubt that these things were given to the defendant and the police then told to arrest him. The police were satisfield that the informer had played a dirty trick on

the defendant. His Worship pointed out to the taken the things, especially the

Sentence of six weeks' hard labour was imposed.

THE MACAO RACES.

HANDICAPS FOR EVENTS ON SUNDAY.

The following entries have been received for the tenth extra race meeting to be held at Macao on Sunday

The October Novices Race-Six Furlongs.

The Macao Third Aggregate Stakes-

Aristophanes, Mowgli, One Third.

The October Consolation Plate-

Mowgli, Aristophanes, Blue World, The Zebra, Sunning, May, Wing Sin, Siac, Glory, Veloz, Nara Stag, Northern Stag, Misty Eve, Gala Eve, Shingle, Tarmacadam, Casar, Tarzan, Walchow, Ching Hoi, Spring Day, Silver Mine.

The Coimbra Handleap "A" Class-Six Furlongs.

Blue World (153), Branco (140), Chemal (163), Duke of Verona (160), Fifty Fifty (160), Ma Rau Siac (167), Misty Eve (153), Sunning (140), Wild Fellow (148), Wuchang (160).

The Coimbra Handicap "B" Class-Six Furlongs.

Aristophanes (153), Bright Prospect (149), Casar (150), Gala Eve (153), Glory (157), Man of War (152), Mowgli (160), My Lady (166), Tarmacadam (157), The Zebra (150). Westlake (148), Zircon II (154) Erstwhile (150).

The Coimbra Handicap, "C" Class-Six Furlongs.

Black Pearl (150), Ching Hol (147), Copper Mine, (144), May (153), Meanwhile (158), Nara Stag (158), Northern Stag (147), Six Hundred (147), Sutherland (155), Tarzan (155), The Haugh (144), Ullawater (144), Veloz (144).

The Coimbra Handicap "D" Class—Six Furlongs.

Diana (158), Duke of Nieblung (155), Grey Eyes (160), Kwong Chow (150), Little Darling (140), Little River (140), Ploughman (145), Shingle (140), Siang River (160), Silver Mina (142), Spring Day (165), Wai Chow (140), Wing Sin (140),

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HOCKEY.

chell, T. Seddon, V. M. Hast, J. D. Ashton. Reserves: A. R. Kinross deaths were also reported from Murphy, Reserves: W. Borrow. and J. D. Murphy.

man and A. McIntyre. The following will represent Y.M.C.A. against H.K. University disease were reported to the Metho Y.M.C.A. against Hongkong 1st XI on Tuesday next, at King's dical Officer of Health last week.

ROACHES MOTHS FLEAS

Hockey Club "A" Team at King's Park, at 5.15 p.m.

Park on Friday, at 5.15 p.m.—R.

D. Harvey; E. R. Robin, A. C. enteric fever and one diphtharia. Thomas (N'hants) 1810.1 422 2563 101 25.36

The following will represent the disease were reported to the Me-

CRICKET AVERAGES.

THE FINAL FIGURES AND PLACINGS.

While it is impossible owing to lack of space to give the full Cricket Averages for last season, the figures of all the leaders are given below, compiled up to the

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Watson	3552	198	4	61
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CRICKET NOTES

[By, "Two Legs."]

was heralded in with a crop of matches over the week-end, Hongkong C.C. going one better than other clubs by taking advan- cert, followed by a competition tage of the holiday on Monday to for fancy rigged sampans and a the misfortune to break his leg. play a two-days' inter-club fixture with the view of selecting their two teams for the League,

cluded in a somewhat heavy pro-gramme, in which the Police R.C. to H.M.S. Seamew. engaged the University 2nd XI-0.57 last year's junior division champions. A peculiar feature of this game was the low scoring on both sides. The Varsity found Lacey and Alexander in splendid form with the ball, and, but for a patient stand by Suleiman, the visitors' total might well have been under a half century,

As it was, I fully expected the a bit discouraged by their poor batting display, and once they dismiss- Tarantula. ed Alexander, from whom much was expected, the 'Varsity had little Chapman, H.M.S. Seamew; 2nd, difficulty in gaining a comparatively big margin of runs over their opponents. Hiptoola played a big part in the victory of his side as his slow, tricky bowling had the batsmen guessing most of the time and brought him five wickets for under two runs apiece.

talent was revealed in the H.K.C.C. Johnson, H.M.S. Cicala; 5th, A. B. match, but I hear that Ewin, Beard, H.M.S. Moth.
Stanion and Bonnar are fairly good 100 Yards. Chir all-rounders. Bowker had a merry time of it at the wicket, but met with no success with the ball,

Speciators at the Kowloon C.C. Tum. H.M.S. Moth. on Monday were treated to some | Half Mile, Naval.—1st, A. B. of the troupe which is made up of exceptionally bright cricket. Two Taylor, H.M.S. Tarantula; 2nd, individual centuries in a match Lieutenant Alexander, H.M.S. which produced close on 500 runs Tarantula; 3rd, A. B. Berwick, shows the complete mastery of bat H.M.S. Cicala; 4th, A. B. Leeson, over ball.

I'was not surprised to see Good- H.M.S. Moth. win pile on 127 runs in his own 100 Yards Shameen Municipal forceful style. True, he is not one Police, Chinese,—1st, P. C. 15; 9 21.12 wrong with the timing of his P. C. 2.

> bolds he plays out of his crease, but being Moth has made 100 runs.

Omar's century at Craigengower and Miss Reid. Comford48 598 82 21 29.65 Was a praiseworthy effort as he was up against the best bowlers of his lor, H.M.S. Tarantula; 2nd A. B. After the sports, Mrs. Pearson 11 29.48 own club. He batted with the uti 29.25 most confidence from the start.

> A list of the season's League fixures has not yet been compiled, Lammert; 2nd, R. T. O. Lammert; owing to the delay on the part of 3rd, E. Sertche (Japanese gunone or two clubs in sending in their | boat "Uji.") programme to the Secretary. So far as can be ascertained, there will | Sales. be three matches on Saturday—all in the second division.

The Indian R. C. 2nd XI will be playing on home ground against the Electric R.C. The Sockumpoo players have been practising assiduously for some weeks and according to present form should win Tuson. easily. Nothing is known of the 8 26.13 Royal Engineers who will be visiting the Hongkong C.C. However, should the Sappers be able to retain the services of some of their 4 25.75 | more experienced players, I look

to them to carry away the points The Navy 2nd and Police match should be fairly evenly contested. A victory for the Police will depend a great deal on Alexander and B.G. Baker coming off with the bat.

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WEST RIVER PATROL.

IN SHAMEEN.

Shameen, Oct. 9. The annual sports meeting of the West River .. Patrol, held in Shameon yesterday, was one of the most successful held here. The weather was glorious and the fact that it was a Bank Holiday enabled everyone to be present.

All the ships of the patrol were in port except the three armed launches Nessus, Faulkinor, and Onslaught. The sports were held on the tennis courts and football ground and lasted all day. Ten was served on the bowling green. In the evening there was a con-

searchlight display. presented by the Parsee Community in 1926 and held for the parting gift, though Mr. Pasco is

The Results.

One Mile Naval Race.—1st, A. B. Taylor, H.M.S. Tarantula; 2nd, A. B. Leeson, H.M.S. Scamew; 3rd, A. B. Berwick, H.M.S. Cicala; 4th, A. B. Challis, H.M.S. Moorhen; 5th, A. B. Bishop, H.M.S. Cicala.

High Jump, Naval.—1st, Lieut-Police to manage the 60 runs needed enant Lovegrove, II.M.S. Moth; for a win, but they did not reckon. 2nd, Stoker Evans, H.M.S.-Moorwith the smart fielding of the Un- hen; 3rd, E. R. A. Ward, H.M.S. dergraduates. The latter were not | Senmow; 4th, A. B. Jordan, H.M.S. Moth, and A. B. Partridge, H.M.S.

> Long Jump, Naval.—1st, A. B. E. R. A. Ward, H.M.S. Seamew; 3rd, Lieutenant Ashby, H.M.S. Tarantula; 4th, A. B. Johnson, H.M.S. Cicala: 5th, Petty Officer Holland, H.M.S. Tarantula.

220 Yards, Naval.—1st, A. B. Chapman, H.M.S. Seamew; 2nd, Stoker Thompson, H.M.S. Moorhen; 3rd, Petty Officer Holland, NEGRO VAUDEVILLE TROUPE. Very little in the way of new H.M.S. Tarantula; 4th, A. B

> hen; 2nd, Kum, H.M.S. Moorhen; 13rd, Ah Hat, H.M.S. Cicala; 4th, Tai Yen, H.M.S. Seamew; 5th Ah

H.M.S. Scamew; 5th, Stoker Gold

the wicket he might ensily knock up | Officer Goodman, H.M.S. Seamew: 2nd, Stoker Thompson, H.M.S. E. F. Fincher who made 102 Moorhen; 3rd, Lieutenant Gar-(retired) is fast becoming one of rick, H.M.S. Cicala; 4th, Lieutens so.ts the most dependable bats of the ant Ashby, H.M.S. Tarantula; 5th, K. C. C. Like his brother "E. C." Lieutenant Lovegrove, H.M.S.

exceptionaly quick on his feet he Ladies' and Gentlemen's Blind- given by Commodore Pearson, has seldom, if ever, fallen a victim fold Race .- 1st, Lieutenant-Com- C.M.G., whilst the individual 6 29.79 to the stumper. I believe this was mander Poland and Miss Hogg; prizes for that event were given not the first occasion that "Ernic" 2nd, Lleutenant Cooper and Mrs. by Mr. J. F. Brenan, C.M.G., Rackohoff; 3rd, Lleutenant Ashby H.B.M. Consul-General,

> 3/4 Mile, Naval.-1st, A. B. Tay- H.M.S. Tarantula. Morris, H.M.S. Scamew; 3rd, presented the prizes on the foot-Lieutenant Cooper, H.M.S. Cicala; ball ground. 4th, A. B. Jordan, H.M.S. Moth. 220 Yards Open,-1st, F. E. W.

Children's Race.—1st, Master 100 Yards Open,-1st, A. Pritchard; 2nd, Samson; 3rd, Ash-

H.M.S. Tarantula: 4th, H.M.S. port; Recorders, Mr. A. J. Evans, Moth: 5th, H.M.S. Moorhen.

Four-Legged Race .-- 1st, Lieutenant Commander Poland, Lieut- Clements; judges for the fancy emant Ashby and Licutenant Love- rigged sampan, Mrs. Pearson, Mrs. grove; 2nd, A. B. Berwick, A. B. Batchelor, Mrs. Clements, Mr. J. F.

Bishop and A. B. Maybourn. oar running backwards with coxs- for the Tug-of-war, Lieutenant wain facing forward last) .- 1st, Gordon; Clerks of the Course for meen; 3rd, H.M.S. Seamew.

Relay Race, Representatives .-1st. H.M.S. Scamew; 2nd, H.M.S. play, Lieutenant Ashby. Tarantula; 3rd, H.M.S. Moth; 4th, H.M.S. Moorhen; 5th. H.M.S. Cleala.

Obstacle race, Naval.—1st. A. B. Alderman, H.M.S. Scamow; 2nd, A. B. Maybourne, H.M.S. Cicala: 4th, Peity Officer Holland, H.M.S. H.M.S. Moth.

Open Relay Race -- let .- Sha-3rd, The Army. .

Seamew, 55 points; H.M.S. Taran- motorcar by H.M.S. Seamew. tula, 411/2; H.M.S. Cicala, 83; 191/2. A to the same of the late of the same

Representatives Relay Race was dent.

PRESENTATION TO MR. B. PASCO.

TOKEN OF ESTEEM FROM TH KOWLOON F. C.

A happy ceremony is to take place at the Kowloon Football Club on Friday evening, whon a presentation is to be made to Mr. Boris Pasco in recognition of his valuable services to the club over

a period of many years. After several- years with the first cloven, Mr. Pasco latterly made excellent use of his experience in imparting stability to the second eleven. Towards the end of last season, however, he had thus bringing an end to a long The Aggregate Challenge Cup, career of football. Friday's presentation is in the nature of a Only one League match was in- past year by H.M.S. Moth, went not severing his acquaintance

with the club. The presentation will take place at 6 p.m. and it is noped that many The following were the events members will attend.

LEAGUE FOOTBALL.

RECREIO v. KOWLOON F.C.

The following will represent Club de Recreio in their Senior Division League match against the Kowleon Football Club on Recreio's Ground, King's Park, at 5.10 p.m. to-day:-R. Marques; P. M. Xavier, S. Sousa; C. F. Remedios, A. A. dos Remedios; B. Assumpção, B. Gosano, J. M. da Silva, A. Gosano (Capt.), L. A. da Rocha, and A. J. Brown:

"THE BLACK BIRDS."

Under the direction of Mr. Wilbur, "The Wilbur Black Birds" Ratings.—1st, Wing, H.M.S. Moor- the Star Theatre to-night at 9.15 p.m. according to a special announcement in this issue. A new and novel form of entertainment is promised with the appearance eighteen negro artists, all well known on the American music hall stage. During its stay in Hongkong, the company will present a varied programme of vaudeville, A. revue, eccentric dancing and musical items including the old plantation melodies famous the world over for their sweetness of tone 1 81.42 pair of eyes, and there is nothing Police, Indians,—1st, P. C. 3; 2nd, and harmony. Many humorous variety show would be incomplete. are also included. Seats may be booked in advance for the Dress' Circle and Orchestra Stalls at Moutries and the Star at the popular prices of \$3, \$2 and \$1.

The tug-of-war was won by

The Officials.

The following acted as officials: Judges, Messrs. A. A. L. Tuson, C. E. Watson, G. H. Bowker, A. Hoffmeister, T. M. Knott, Dr. W. G. Reynolds Lieutenant-Commander Bostock; Starters, Captain G. Aca Clements, Lieutenant-Commander Veterans' Race (Handicap one R. M. Hunt, Lieutenant Lovegrove, yard for every year over 35). E. R. A. Cole, Petty-Officer Pan-1st, M. S. Kavarana; 2nd, Petty tling; Time-keepers, Mr. H. F. Officer Darroch; 3rd, A. A. L. Campbell, Surgeon - Lieutenant Currie, Surgeon-Lieutenant Ma-Relay Race, Naval.—1st, H.M.S. guire, Chief Petty-Officer Edin-Seamew 2nd, H.M.S. Cicala; 3rd, burgh, Chief Petty-Officer Devonand Lieutenant-Commander, Poland; Referee, Captain G. A. Brenan, Lieutenant Commander Boat Race.—(crew of five on an R. M. Hunt; Clerk of the Course Japanese gunboat "Uji;" 2nd, Sha- | the Fancy Rigged Sampans, Lieutenant Ashby and Lieutenant Cooperfin charge of searchlight dis-

The Concert.

In the evening there was a very successful concert in the Canton Club Theatre, after which every-A. B. Berwick, H.M.S. Cicala; 3rd, one adjourned to the Hund to witness the fancy rigged sampan display. The first prize was awarded Tarantula; 5th. A. B. Hutchinson, to H.M.S. Tarantula, whose sampan was very well decorated as an old Viking ship complete with meen: 2nd, U.S.S. Sacremento; Norsemen, sails, shields and oars. Other entries were a Chinese Junk Eleven events counted towards by H.M.S. Cleala, "The May." the Aggregate Challenge Cup. flower," by H.M.S. Moth; a Flower The aggregate results were H.M.S. Boat by H.M.S. Moorhen; and a

An extremely enjoyable day for H.M.S. Moorhen, 25; H.M.S. Moth, everyone concluded with an excellent searchlight display from the The Challenge Cup for the Extra five ships .- Our Own Cornespond

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SYNOPSIS.

down with MRS. PRIESTLY, his mother, and ADA, his sister, meets in London

when he lands ORANGE LAVINGE, who appears to be in great trouble. She will not disclose the trouble, but suddenly asks him to marry her. the best of it. Orange later con- gave way to her tears. fesses she married Walter because she had been jilted by another man.

CHAPTER VI.

But though you persunded him, it is useless for you to attempt to small vanity concerned in your ad- induce Orange to capitulate. There was perhaps who wanted.

to nothing. We all like to feel that | ders." we have been appreciated. No need not go into that, for it hard- she appeared. ly matters. Walter, naturally, believes that all menenvy him. It is normal for bridegrooms to cherish these ideas."

A strong sence of outrage rose in the mind of Orange and she sat still and made no attempt to reply.

my power to reas- in the glass. sure him, and instead of letting him the result of my interview with very French."

and though I think it inexcusable too loud." of you to have forced him to betray going back on what I said. How

The placid expression of Mrs. marked, judicially. Walter has little pebbles. Gradually the room given me a considerable dose of filled up. heroics already, and I was Mrs. Priestly received the guests fully prepared to hear you do with cordinlity, and to each one she not force your inclinations, and will "Surprise parties are fashionable," in the tea-cup is at its height." the drawing-room. She got up majestically. "My friends will, no doubt, be disapmay be reasons why it is no well again and again. that they should not."

give one's reason," Mrs. Priestly said, calmly. "Possibly they might not accord very well with your own views of, shall I say, yourself? You were Walter's choice, my dear, not suavely.

There was a short silence between them, and Orange came slowly forward into the centre of the room. She knew that herhands were trem- laughed archly, "and I have not yet bling and she could not be alto- had very much time to fall in love," gether sure of her voice. Never in all her life had she felt so angry or so small. Through her horrible punctual," Mrs. Haverleigh said, power, Mrs. Priestly had reduced her and cheapened her in her own eyes.

When Walter's mother had come into the room she had prepared herself to be pleaded with, or possibly arrived with a wife," he said in his hod was entirely new to her. She up a subscription for the furniture had waved her aside as though she of their bungalow. It was only did not count, and, far from taking afterwards that he discovered she the story of Staveling and her love had been married already before for him as an outrage to her son, she sailed." she pushed it away as a vain, boastful statement, made by a conceited girl who was out for a scene. How her faintly marked eyebrows. could she countersuch an attack?

She saw Mrs. Priestly move in her slow, steady way towards the Priestly's family?" Mrs. Kent, the door, quite unruffed, quite unmoved, wife of a prosperous stockbroker,

"I will come down and meet your half the battle." guests," she said breathlessly. won't be treated like a silly child. Will you tell Walter that I shall do this? But tell him, too," she went on, "that if in future he wants me to do anything, I should prefer his on the threshold. asking me himself."

It wasn't what she had wanted to say and it sounded forced and WALTER PRIESTLY, an engineer, rather ridiculous, but her eyes were returned from England to settle full of angry tears and, in spite of herself, her voice shook.

"Shall I tell him to come to you?"

"Certainly not." Orange closed the door behind her mother-in-law Mrs. Priestly is with a bang and turned the key in shocked when he comes home the lock; and then; going to her with a wife, but decides to make | bed, she flung herself upon it and

Walter, his mother, and 'Ada dined rather silently together. The number of her guests.

persuade me," Mrs. Priestly spoke his wife had a reed to come downslowly. "I shall not listen to stairs and be introduced, she said love each other while similar feelyou, Orange. You wrote that letter nothing of the interview. Walter, ings are manifested between Kitty in a silly, girlish mood of im- though much relieved in mind to patience with life. There may be, know this, was far from easy as to for I know you very little, some the means his mother had used to former are rich, and Kitty, who from to-day to Saturday is a spec- London Manila

for a time, to Priestly had said. "Very much he does not realise what is hapmarry you, but the affair came over-strung. But time works won- pening.

but that does not invariably mean really looked well, and full of Jean to find their true happiness here of this blg picture and apthat they want a wife. I under- curiosity to see what sort of imstand your disappointment, and we pression Orange would make when

When dinner had dragged through, Mrs. Priestly went into the partly dismantled drawingroom and sat down in a chair of state. She had put on a jetembroidered dress, and a fresh crisp cap sat on the top of her head. "Sip a little water," Mrs. Priest- Walter, who had been left with ly suggested. "You look pale. permission to smoke one cigarette There! That is belter. Naturally, in the dining room, had remained Walter feels that hels in a hopeless | behind, pacing about anxiously, and just as you intended Ada, stood on the fender-stone to 1 did what see as much as she could of herself

"Blue is my colour," she said, go off to his club he agreed to await | "and I call that touch of scarlet

"And not in the best taste," Mrs. Orange sprang to her feet and Priestly shook her head. "My dear walked restlessly to the window. Ada, the best dressed woman in the "I told him the truth," she said room is the woman whom no one stubbornly. "I do not love him, notices. That touch of scarlet is

"All the same—" Ada began my confidence to you, Mrs. Priestly, haltingly, and before she could say I have no intention whatever of anything further, Dorne, the butler, announced "The Rev. Canon can I see these friends of yours Haverleigh and Mrs. Haverleigh" and protend to be what I am not?" in a loud, splendid voice.

Close upon the Vicar and his Priestly's face did not change. She | wife, Dr. and Mrs. Hopkins arrived, smoothed out a lille crease in her the three Miss Grants, the Pemberskirt and sighed gently. "I am no sons, with Colonel Pemberson, a great believer in heroics," she re- tall, sun-baked man, with eyes like

the same. He feels that he must explained the motive of the party. not ask you to do anything what- she said, and she introducedever. In fact, Orange, the storm Walter, who appeared dutifully in

"Walter, my dear, where is that pointed not to meet you, but there pretty wife of yours?" she asked,

"But how very sudden it all is," Orange turned swiftly and stared | Miss Alice Grant remarked, with an at her. "What reasons?" she ask- oblique glance at her hostess. "How unconventional. A year "It is not always necessary to used to be considered a short engagement in my time."

> "We live in an unconventional age, dear Alice," Mrs. Priestly said

"And you like your new

"Walter likes her," Mrs. Priestly

"She does not appear to be very primly. She was seated on a sofa beside Colonel Pemberson, who had begun to talk of weddings he had attended in India.

"At Lallipore one of our fellows threatened, but Mrs. Priestly's met- thin, dry voice, "and we had to put

> "Really?" Mrs. Haverleigh raised That was awkward."

"And do you know Mrs. Walter As she was leaving the room, asked genially. "I always say that Orange spoke quickly: if a girl comes from a nice home it's

"Here is the heroine of the

Mrs. Priestly turned to the door where Orango stood for a second

(To Be Continued.)

QUEEN'S THEATRE.

"CHILDREN OF DIVORCE" A HUMAN STORY.

The feature film which is being shown at the Queen's Theatre for the last time to-day is "Children of Divorce," a picture containing many emotional aspects of an extremely human character. Two affairs which provide the are prevented from materialising through the selfish action of a "Child of Divorce," who thinks that happiness cannot be gained without money. The price she pays for learning that Mrs. Priestly spoke from the door. love is greater than money makes "It might be better for you to ex- a pathetic ending to a dramati

> Clara Bow (Kitty Flanders) and Esther Ralston (Jean Waddington) the heroines, the opposit roles being taken by Gary Cooper (Ted Larrabee) and Norman Trevor (Duke de Gondreville).

A convent for "children hired butler had come and was busy divorce" makes the starting point with preparations for the reception for the picture, and it is there later on in the evening, for Mrs. that the two girls and Ted Larra-Priestly had added to the original bee make each other's acquain tance, when Ted and Jenn enter into a childish pact to marry each Beyond informing her son that other when they grow up. After becoming adults they find they still and the Duke. Both the latter which comes to the World Theatre Kobe are poor, however, while the desires wealth, eventually marries tacular production adapted to the "She is a mass of nerves," Mrs. Ted after a Brunken party when screen from the famous novel by

Ada, suspicious and watchful, cerned is skilfully treated. Finaldoubt, as you are a pretty creature, said nothing. She was delighted by Kitty, realising her selfishness, men have made themselves polite, with her new dress, in which she takes poison to enable Ted and noteworthy productions, is the

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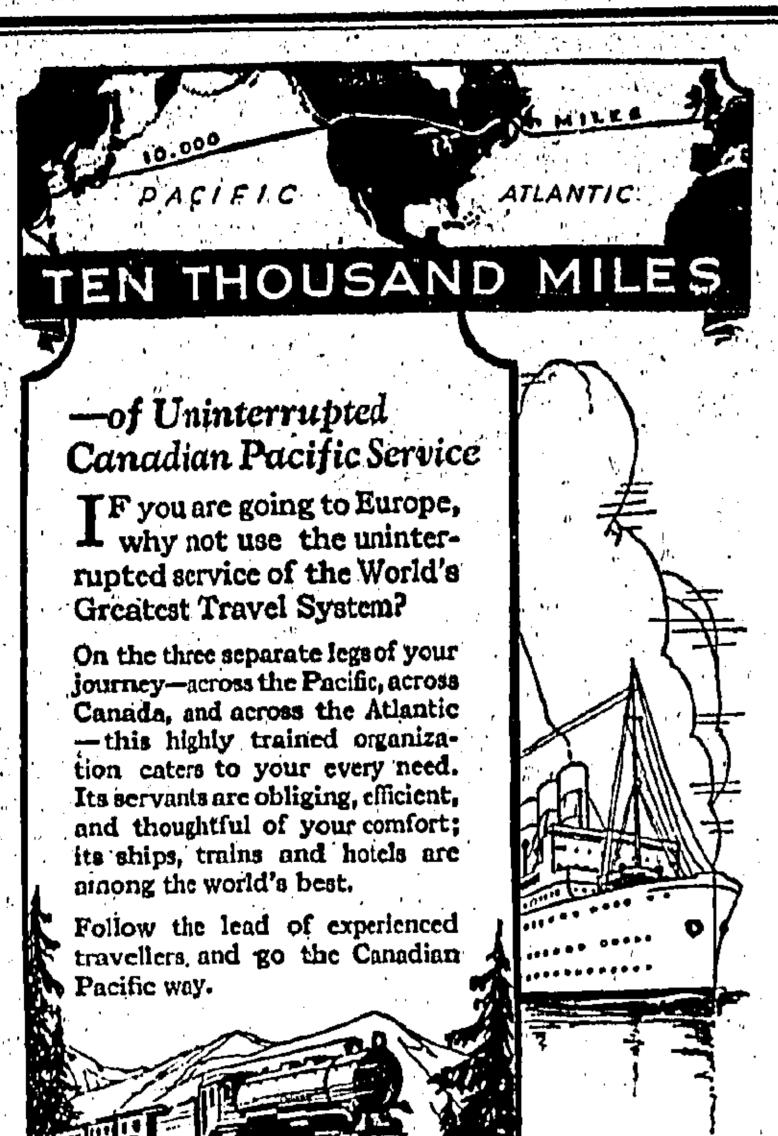
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Prompt and commendable action on the part of the garrison commander efforts to maintain unimpaired its in Tai Ping Sha, Namhol district, resulted 'in a gang of pirates being men's productve work." either killed or captured. There is strong reasons accounted for believing, says, the Canton Gazette, that the pirates accounted for in this action

KOCHOW PIRATES

Hongkong-Wuchow run. a notorious pirate chief would with a small gang of his satellites. This man had been attacked by troops only recently and it was purely luck that enabled him to escape from being quarters; and the principal escaught. Commander Line of the 34th tablishment for the personal care to seek the band and offer a hot reception. Guided by the local Precaucane the extreme penalty for their sins. A quantity of books were seized in which were recorded the names of various captives, while several black-mail letters and an ivory seal were found on one of the dead bodies. These served to identify the body as that of the chief of the gang. A rapid fire magazine rifle and several pistols were recovered from the killed. On the side of the law four soldiers were wounded, while one was killed.

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ST. DUNSTAN'S.

BLINDED CRAFTSMEN'S BIGGER OUTPUT.

St. Dunstan's has issued the 13th behalf of men blinded in the war are building to the order, of the -and it is a cheering record of the British Admiralty, was launched on Friday from Hebburn Shipbuilding help unstintingly given which Yard. She is an improvement, on enables the men to follow professions and handicrafts, hobbies, The overall length of the vessel is about 266ft., and the approximate sports and pastimes with increasdisplacement will be about 1,150 tons. The vessel is built with a long fore- ing interest, thoroughness and castle deck, which combined with the

boat deck extends aft for about three-The "family of St. Dunstan's" fourths of the length of the ship. There is a good flare forward which now numbers over 1,900 officers, obtained. n.c.o's, and men blinded in the worthy, and capable of remaining at war and 4,900 wived and children sea in rough weather. The crew's settled in their own homes in quarters, which are forward, include room, bathrooms, and a service of ice almost every part of the Empire. The report pays tribute to the It is anticipated that the vessel courage and adaptability of those will be employed in the Far East, and arrangements have been made for the who have lost their sight, and be recognized. crew to mess and sleep in the open air under the shelter of the forecastle. points cout that a deficit of nearly and boat deck, which has been pro- £5,500 during the year ended tected against the sun by double March 31 last is really direct awnings. The armament will con- evidence of the success of St. 2nd inst. at 10 a.m., by Messrs. Godsist of 4in, guns and machine guns. Dunstan's methods. With in- dard and Douglas, The machinery consists of twin-screw creased experience the blinded turbing engines with a collective sinft horse-power of 2,000. The craftsmen have added appreciably turbines are of the Parsons impulse to their productivity and earning re-action type driven through single power, and the result has been ed by reduction genring, with a working a necessary increase in the direct subsidy payable to their pressure of 2251b, per sq. in. The boilers consist of two watertube trades. The men have, in fact boilers of the three-drum type, ar-"increased their turnover, their ranged for oil fuel burning; the steam use of subsidized raw material, pressure at the boilers is 250lb, per sq. in., working under closed stoke- and the volume of finished articles which St. Dunstan's has to help them to sell by no less a sum than £14,000." Indian competition in the mat industry and foreign competition in basket-making and joinery make the problem difficult one, but supporters of the institution are assured that "St. Dunstan's will make strenuous services in connexion with the

During the year under review the administration has been rehoused and reorganized. formed part of the gang that looted administrative hendquarters for the steamer Kochow plying on the all the Imperial and national work and the local, centre for London Information had been received that men are now St. Dunstan's headbe quarters, Inner Circle, Regent's making his return to his native village Park: the technical headquarters, stores, and sales office are, in a property on a site near head-Regiment of the 12th Division, station- of blinded soldiers is St. Duned at Thi Ping Sha, made plans to stan's, Brighton. Substantial ecointercept the pirates, and according nomies are expected to result ly a portion of his troops were sent from the reorganization, and the council say: "If our income is mainfained, if we can solve the difficulty of selling our men's goods, and unless any unforeseen en- and unavoidable liability arises, sued for several hours, in the course we shall next year begin the pro-of which over ten pirates were killed, cess of building up our endow-Only four men were left alive, and ment fund." The council aim at these were subsequently made to pay setting uside a sinking fund which will endow St. Dunstan's at the end of 15 years.

MEXICAN QUAKE.

HALF OF OAXACA TOWN REPORTED RUINED.

Mexico City, Oct. 9. An earthquake shock caused the deputies to hurry out of the Chamher, which suspended its sitting. The shocks were felt in nine states The damage done is heavy, particularly in the town of Caxaca, the southern section of which is ruined,—Reuter's American Service.

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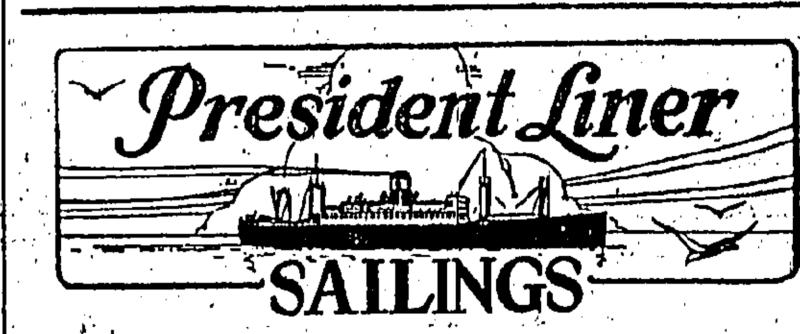
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FOREIGN CAPITAL.

WILL BE WELCOMED FOR DEVELOPMENT.

Nanking, Oct. 9. Mr. Sun Fo. in an interview with Reuter, emphatically denied reports that the National Government would not welcome foreign capital for the development of Chinese industries and commerce. He declared that crippled by years of internecine strife China needed capital to build up the State and looked to European and American financial interests to assist the gigantic reconstruction programme. He said the time was not ripe to reveal the results of his conversations with American financiers .-- Reuter.

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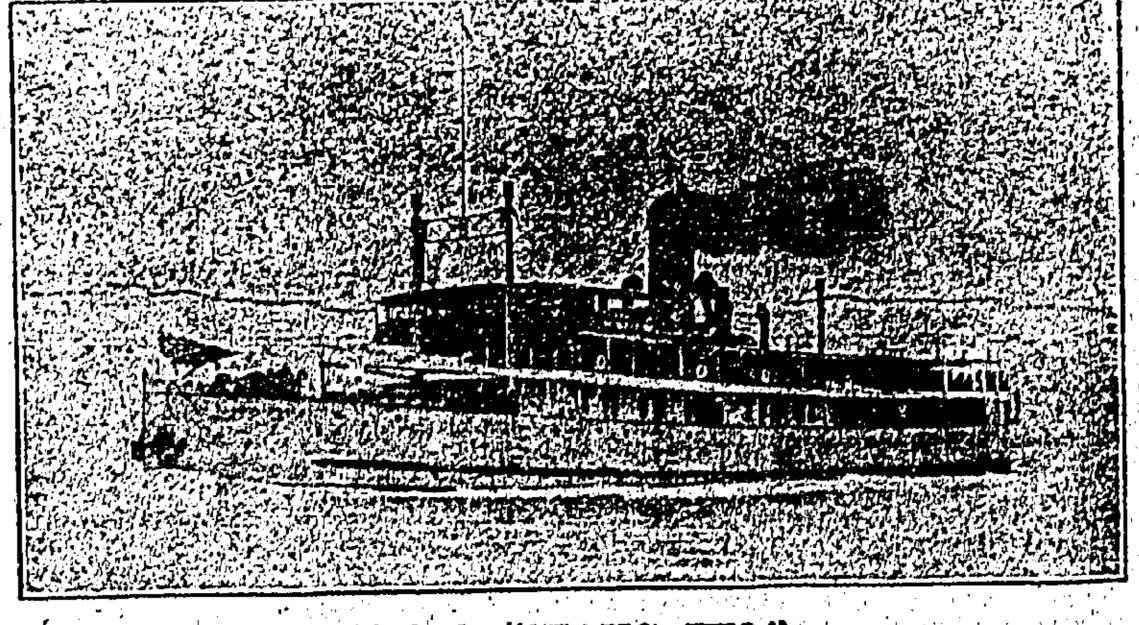
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the Kowloon Magistracy this

morning, as a result of a fight on

The complainant said he board-

ed the bus in question near the

Witness occupied the small space

indicated between the defendant

persons and he was entitled

one glass of his spectacles.

down. On nearing Jordan

Road. Luz suddenly struck the

complainant while the defendant

take the bus to the Police Station, but, the passengers objected and

left the vehicle. The defendant

attempted to leave but was res-

trained by the complainant and

both, together with another Por-

the Yaumati Police Station.

jabs in the stomach.

and unother passenger.

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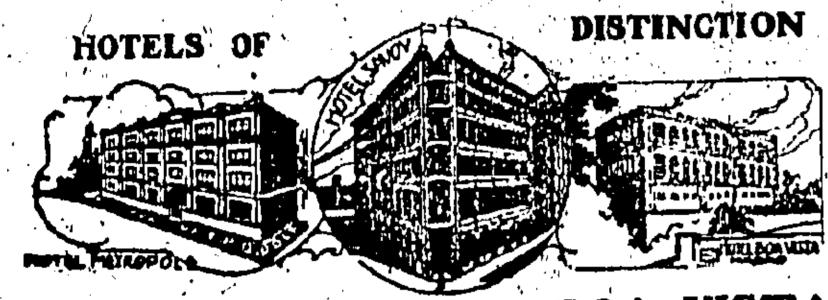
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EXCEED ARRIVALS. The returns of passenger

complainant \$8 compensation.

PASSENGER TRAFFIC

ordered the defendant to pay the the two nations."-Toho.

traffic for the month of September have now been issued by the Harbour Department and again show an excess of departures over arrivals, numbering approximately ter stated:

The figures are: Ocean Steamers .. 47,829 44,687

Junk and Launches '6,492'

ANOTHER BIG CANTON FIRE.

THIRTY HOUSES REPORTED DESTROYED.

According to Chinese telegrams received in Hongkong last night, another big fire broke out in Canton last evening, resulting in some thirty houses being destroyed.

It appears that the outbreak started in the heart of the city, at press my opinion at this juncture Tai Sun Street, at about 7.30 p.m. and raged for an hour and a half the commencement of Sino-Japbefore it was finally quelled by the Fire Brigade.

in the street, an old stone structure, persimon, so to speak. escaped destruction.

SENIOR SOCCER.

ran¹ was to have the second second

KOWLOON PLAYING THIS

AFTERNOON. The Senior League match between the Club de Recreio and Kowloon, arranged for Saturday, has been advanced. The match will be played on the Recreio ground at 5 p.m. to-day. It is understood that both clubs are rely- ly that she will agree to the enfor-

RECENT MOTOR BUS JAPAN SETTLE.

> BOYCOTT CRIPPLING BUSINESS.

A charge of assault was pre-| SHINTO CLUB ADVOCATES AN de Luz, before Mr. W. Schofield at EARLY ADJUSTMENT.

board a China Motor Bus at the junction of Nathan and Jordan NO PARTY PREJUDICE, berthed alongelde the dock. Roads on the morning of October

Tokyo, Oct. 2. The Shinto Club under the pre-

The defendant entered a plea of sidency of Mr. T. Tokonami held a meeting yesterday afternoon of Po Hing Theatre at 8 o'clock on its parliamentary members, over ing slightly. the morning of October 1st. He 30 in all. was beckened by the conductor to

were already four Portuguese. ship of Japan and China, the trade The defendant motioned the and downwards are in a very continued with safety under precomplainant to get up as there was difficult position. It is most re- sent conditions. insufficient room. Witness regrettable, for the sake of the plied that there was room for five nation, that the anti-Japanese agitation in China is growing more serious than ever and that various outstanding issues remain ur complainant in the eye, breaking solved.

"It is, therefore, up to the is improbable. The other passengers, all of Shinto Club to devise pertinent whom were Portuguese, seized the effective measures for the improvement of the relations of the two struck him further blows. Witcountries, by wising superior to ness then shouted to the driver to party prejudice."

Seitlement Urged.

Following Mr. Tokonami's speech, the Shinto Club discussed and passed a statement on Chinese ed in this morning's returns under tuguese, who appeared to be the affairs as follows: defendant's friend, were driven to

various problems pending between be on her maiden trip. Witness mentioned that after Japan and China are at a deadlock leaving the station he discovered is a matter to be deeply regretthat his wrist-watch was missing, ted, for it is to the great dis-He had not, however, made any advantage of the two nations. report to the police about the loss. view of the general situation of The defendant, in the witness- the Orient as well as of the in box, admitted striking the com- herent, traditional relationship of plainant. He said that the the two nations, the Japanese Chinese had leaned heavily against Government should lose no time in his shoulder, and, when politely devising means for the prompt told about it, began to jostle opening of Sino-Japanese negotiawitness. The complainant also tions on the basis of reasoning on purposely gave witness several both sides, with the object of Captain Arthur Tidemann, with a eradicating the root of controversy His Worship ordered both and of cumenting the friendship parties to be bound over for their of the two nations, thereby securfuture behaviour and further ing lasting peace and welfare for draft of 13 feet 4 inches.

> "Time Not Ripe." Peking, Oct. 2.

Mr. Yoshizawa, Japanese Minister, to-day held a conference with high staff officials of the Japanese Legation, including Mr. Hori, who returned from Tokyo the day before yesterday, bringing with him a message from the government authorities regarding China

to questions put to him by a Toho bedrock. representative, the Japanese Minis-

7,000. There, were 3,000 more "Though I have listened to a 25/- per hundred pounds. This has arrivals than departures by ocean detailed report concerning the re- now been reduced to 22/- the same steamers, but 10,000 more depar- sult of consultations between Mr. price as Cuban sugar sold in Durtures than arrivals by river Hori and the authorities concerned ban .- Reuter. steamers, while junk and launch of the home Gvernment, I am not returns were practically level, yet in a position to make any remarks as to the contents of the

"As regards the Tsinan affairs, River Steamers ... 79,176 89,608 Sino-Japanese informal consulta-6,386 tion has already been made though it is not yet completed. Total 133,497 140,681 In consequence, the definite time and place for the holding of official Sino-Japanese negotiations in this respect have not yet been decided on.

Answer Not Forthcoming.

the time is not ripe for giving a slotted-wing safety device. reply to the second note of the Nationalist Government, but view of the fact that communications are now, being exchanged, it cannot be said that informal ar-.rangements are not being conducted between the authorities of the two countries, though I cannot exwhether or not the time is rips for anese negétiations. However, the present aspect may be put as be-It is stated that only one building ing still in the shape of green

No casualties have so far been re- of the gradated tariff, it is getting of 41,166 compared with the week evident that the Nanking Government intends to promulgate, the tariff before long. As to its contents I should think that they are similar to what was suggested at the last Tariff Conference.

"The Nationalist Government has not yet officially asked the Powers concerned for approval of its new tariff, but it is to be expected that the Nationalist Government, before putting it in force, will communicate with the Governments of the Powers concerned, asking for their approval thereof. As for Japan, it is more than likeing on their teams of Saturday cement of the new tariff under a certain condition."-Toho.

RECENT SHIPPING CASUALTY.

HAKUHO MARU TOWED INTO HONGKONG.

COAL CARGO PROBLEM.

The Japanese freighter s.s Hakuho Maru which stranded and was damaged in the Hainan Straits recently, has now been towed back to Hongkong by the Taikoo tug and is at present

The Talkoo tug took out a salvage party, who were successful in affecting temporary repairs, sufficient to allow for the tow back to Hongkong, but it is understood that the vessel is still leak-

The Hakuho Maru has a cargo Mr. Tokonami in a speech said: Shanghai and wishes to continue of 7,000 tons of coal on board for sit on the rear seat where there "Owing to the strained relation the voyage to save the time and cost of discharge here, if that is between the two countries is at a possible. She is now waiting for standstill, with the consequence a decision of the local surveyors that merchants of the middle-class as to whether the journey can be

If an adverse decision is given, she will have to be unloaded, docked and repaired here. It is believed that the vessel is so badly strained that the continuation of her voyage in her present state

ON MAIDEN TRIP.

NORWEGIAN MOTOR SHIP ARRIVES HERE.

A vessel new to the port appearthe Norwegian flag, this being the "That negotiations respecting motorship Toronto, understood to

She is a vessel of 4,600 tons gross, her dimensions being length 381.8 feet, beam 52.2 feet and depth 27.7 feet. She was completed this year at the yards of the Cie. 'de Normandle of Rouen and engined 4,000 h.p. by Ch. and

Atel, de St. Nazaire. The owners are Wilhelmsen and Co., of Tonsberg, for whom Messrs. Dodwell and Co. are the local agents, while the master is crew of 33 Europeans. She entered from Baltimore and Keelung with a cargo of 580 tons, on a

CUBAN BID FOR SUGAR MARKET.

AL PRODUCTS FORCED TO CUT PRICES.

Durban, Oct. 9. In order to meet the competition authorities' regarding China of Cuban sugar imported via After the conference, replying producers have been compelled to make very large price cuts down to

> The wholesale price of Natal sugar has for some time past been

RECORD ORDER FOR LIGHT PLANES.

FIFTY AVRO-AVIAN MACHINES FOR NEW YORK.

London, Oct. 9. The A.V. Roe Company, of Man- AT THE chester, have received an order from New York for fifty Avro-Avian aeroplanes fitted with thirty to eighty horse-power Cirrus "Regarding the treaty question, engines and the Handley Page

> This is believed to be the biggest order for light planes ever placed.-British Wireless.

THE UNEMPLOYED.

A FURTHER CONSIDERABLE INCREASE,

London, Oct. 9. The number of unemployed in Great Britain on October 1st shows "With reference to the question a further considerable increase,

> Compared with a year ago, the increase is 260.525.

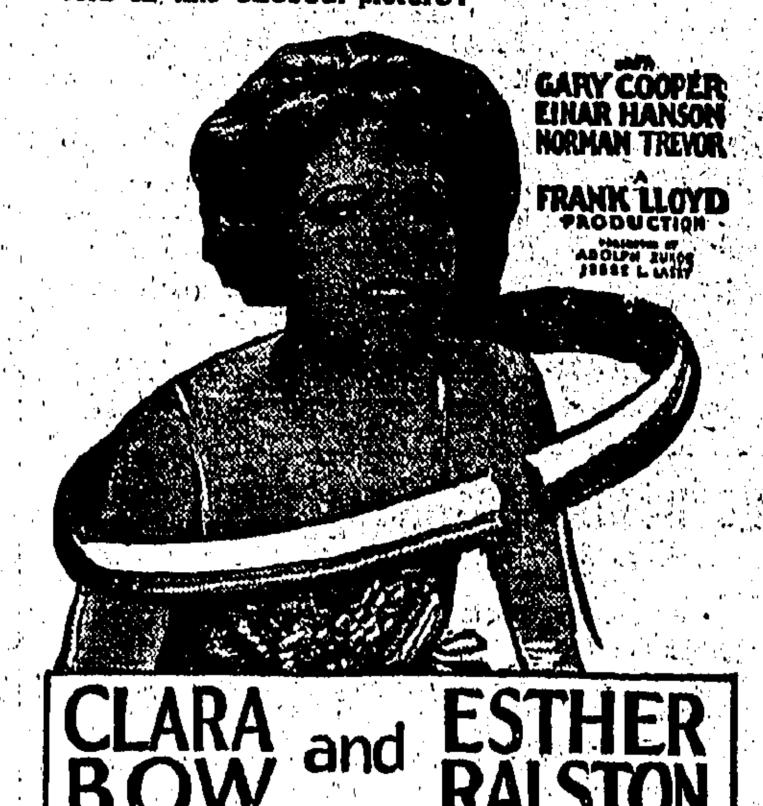
> The total of unemployed is now 1,386,400,-British Wireless.

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